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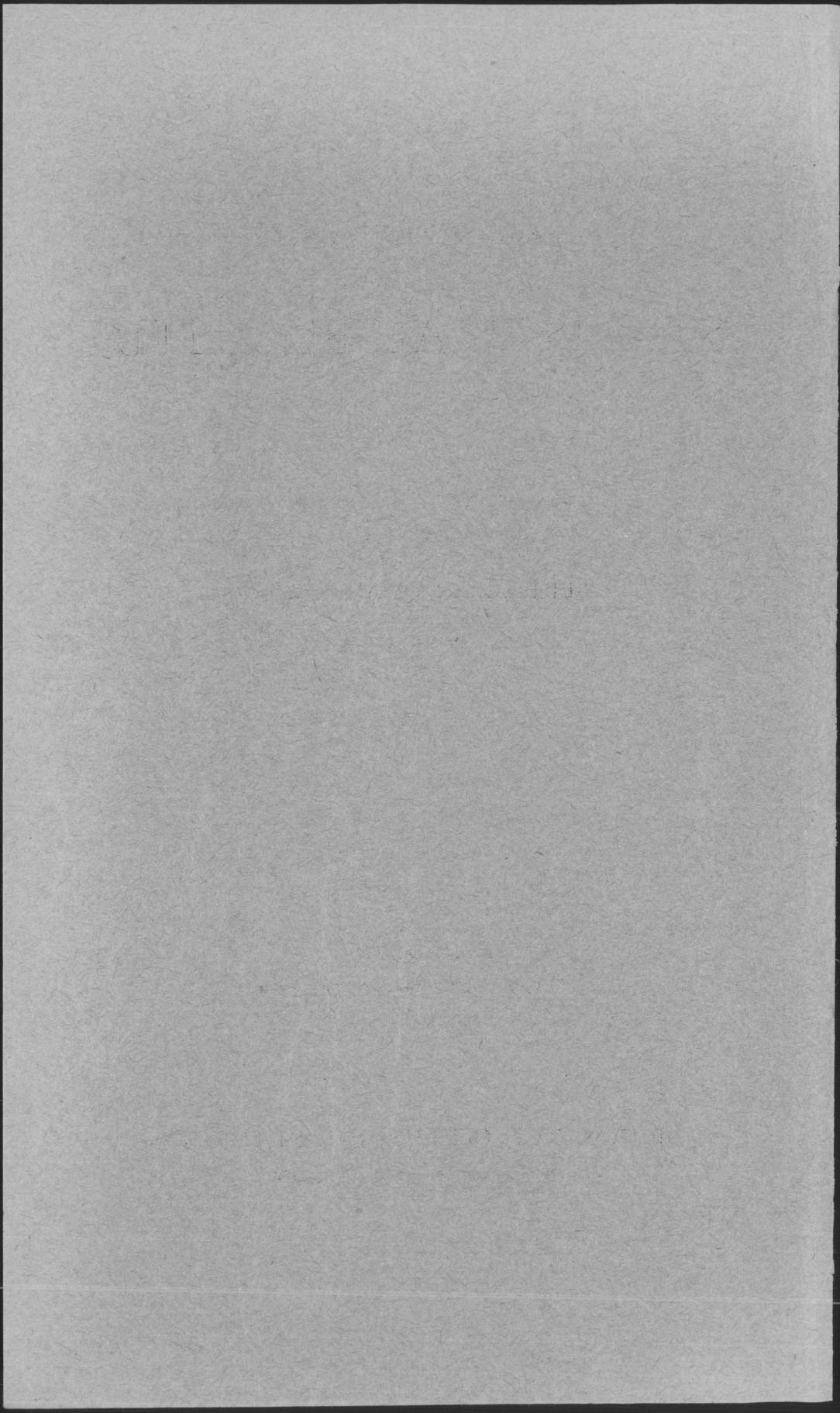
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# NEW SOUTH WALES

## STATISTICAL BULLETIN

### No. 1. Population of New South Wales: Annual Estimates

Note. The estimated population for periods since the Census of 30th June, 1954 represents the population ascertained at the Census plus the subsequent natural increase and recorded net migration into New South Wales. These estimates are subject to revision when the population is ascertained at the next Census.

Year	Population			Mean Population for Year		
	Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
	At 30th June			Year ended 30th June		
1948	1,507,895	1,507,868	3,015,763	1,500,934	1,500,728	3,001,662
1949	1,549,199	1,543,422	3,092,621	1,525,112	1,523,939	3,049,051
1950	1,602,664	1,590,708	3,193,372	1,577,252	1,568,447	3,145,699
1951	1,647,299	1,630,733	3,278,032	1,626,328	1,612,078	3,238,406
1952	1,681,469	1,657,986	3,339,455	1,665,975	1,645,865	3,311,840
1953	1,703,078	1,680,714	3,383,792	1,695,042	1,671,316	3,366,358
1954*	1,720,860	1,702,669	3,423,529	1,712,508	1,692,906	3,405,414
1955	1,753,041	1,737,290	3,490,331	1,737,803	1,721,735	3,459,538
1956	1,785,243	1,768,189	3,553,432	1,770,560	1,753,819	3,524,379
1957	1,819,566	1,803,340	3,622,906	1,802,091	1,785,942	3,588,033
1958	1,849,157	1,840,018	3,689,175	1,836,103	1,822,222	3,658,325
1959	1,881,302	1,875,073	3,756,375	1,866,441	1,859,475	3,725,916
At 31st December			Year ended 31st December			
1948	1,523,810	1,524,496	3,048,306	1,510,297	1,509,761	3,020,058
1949	1,579,257	1,570,549	3,149,806	1,548,916	1,544,361	3,093,277
1950	1,627,618	1,613,439	3,241,057	1,602,498	1,590,710	3,193,208
1951	1,667,566	1,647,106	3,314,672	1,648,264	1,631,151	3,279,415
1952	1,695,899	1,672,087	3,367,986	1,682,305	1,659,171	3,341,476
1953	1,713,639	1,695,370	3,409,009	1,704,209	1,682,347	3,386,556
1954	1,738,385	1,723,928	3,462,313	1,723,012	1,705,476	3,428,488
1955	1,770,966	1,754,957	3,525,923	1,754,138	1,738,247	3,492,385
1956	1,802,142	1,786,202	3,588,344	1,786,292	1,769,562	3,555,854
1957	1,837,358	1,823,139	3,660,497	1,819,035	1,803,522	3,622,557
1958	1,865,917	1,859,769	3,725,686	1,851,601	1,841,681	3,693,282

\* Census, 30th June.

### No. 2. Population\* of New South Wales and Elements of Increase: Quarterly

Period	Estimated Population at end of Quarter			Natural Increase (Excess of Births over Deaths)	Increase by Migration			Total Increase in Population
	Males	Females	Persons		Interstate	Oversea	Total	
	Year	Year	Year		Year	Year	Year	
1955: Sept. Qr. Dec. Qr.	1,760,819 1,770,966	1,744,281 1,754,957	3,505,100 3,525,923	9,697 10,375	(—) 3,618 1,695	8,690 8,753	5,072 10,448	14,769 20,823
Year	...	...	...	41,854	(—) 9,592	31,348	21,756	63,610
1956: March Qr. June Qr. Sept. Qr. Dec. Qr.	1,780,808 1,785,243 1,792,170 1,802,142	1,763,327 1,768,189 1,775,975 1,786,202	3,544,135 3,553,432 3,568,145 3,588,344	11,421 10,743 8,838 10,648	(—) 272 4,123 3,057 2,338	7,063 2,677 8,932 7,213	(—) 6,791 1,446 5,875 9,551	18,212 9,297 14,713 20,199
Year	...	...	...	41,650	(—) 5,114	25,885	20,771	62,421
1957: March Qr. June Qr. Sept. Qr. Dec. Qr.	1,811,831 1,819,566 1,825,616 1,837,358	1,795,867 1,803,340 1,810,694 1,823,139	3,607,698 3,622,906 3,636,310 3,660,497	12,596 11,156 10,263 12,124	934 (—) 3,430 (—) 3,312 3,628	5,824 7,482 6,453 8,435	6,758 4,052 3,141 12,063	19,354 15,208 13,404 24,187
Year	...	...	...	46,139	(—) 2,180	28,194	26,014	72,153
1958: March Qr. June Qr. Sept. Qr. Dec. Qr.	1,846,834 1,849,157 1,857,573 1,865,917	1,833,563 1,840,018 1,850,744 1,859,769	3,680,397 3,689,175 3,708,317 3,725,686	12,863 11,796 11,196 11,840	1,964 (—) 4,046 463 (—) 2,341	5,073 1,028 7,483 7,870	7,037 (—) 3,018 7,946 5,529	19,900 8,778 19,142 17,369
Year	...	...	...	47,695	(—) 3,960	21,454	17,494	65,189
1959: March Qr. June Qr. Sept. Qr.	1,876,176 1,881,302 1,889,354	1,869,025 1,875,073 1,884,912	3,745,201 3,756,375 3,774,266	12,203 11,456 10,528	(—) 685 (—) 4,016 1,606	7,997 3,734 5,757	7,312 (—) 282 7,363	19,515 11,174 17,891

\* See note at head of Table I.

The sign (—) denotes a decrease.

No. 3. Population and Area of Municipalities and Shires in New South Wales  
at 30th June, 1959: Grouped in Statistical Divisions

Municipality or Shire	Area	Estimated Population	Municipality or Shire	Area	Estimated Population			
<b>Cumberland</b>								
Metropolis*—			Municipalities—					
Inner—	Acres		Ballina ..	5,756	3,680			
Sydney ..	7,161	182,640	Casino ..	3,947	8,360			
Leichhardt ..	2,478	61,500	Grafton ..	19,817	15,400			
Marrickville ..	3,649	73,580	Kempsey ..	2,968	8,050			
Botany ..	4,391	29,900	Lismore ..	11,200	19,230			
Eastern—			Mullumbimby ..	1,103	2,100			
Woolahra ..	2,682	46,900	Shires—	Sq. Miles				
Waverley ..	2,222	65,230	Bellingen ..	620	7,900			
Randwick ..	8,491	101,410	Byron ..	215	8,780			
Illawarra—			Coffs Harbour ..	370	14,120			
Rockdale ..	7,012	76,870	Copmanhurst ..	1,209	2,500			
Kogarah ..	4,807	45,400	Gundurimba ..	175	3,110			
Hurstville ..	6,120	59,000	Kyogle ..	1,342	11,270			
Sutherland Shire ..	91,520	97,530	Maclean ..	402	6,170			
Canterbury-Bankstown—			Macleay ..	1,273	8,600			
Canterbury ..	8,251	115,620	Nambucca ..	557	10,230			
Bankstown ..	19,219	140,540	Nymboida ..	1,962	2,030			
Inner Western—			Terania ..	340	6,500			
Ashfield ..	2,048	37,710	Tintenbar ..	179	4,650			
Drummoyne ..	1,984	29,500	Tomki ..	438	3,300			
Burwood ..	1,791	29,900	Tweed ..	503	21,840			
Strathfield ..	3,476	26,400	Ulmarra ..	686	3,290			
Concord ..	2,674	27,850	Woodburn ..	541	4,170			
Outer Western—			Total, North Coast ..	10,883	175,280			
Auburn ..	7,792	49,320	<b>Hunter and Manning</b>					
Parramatta§ ..	11,340	91,560	Municipalities—	Acres				
Baulkham Hills Shire (Part) ..	10,300	13,900	Newcastle¶ ..	52,755	142,530			
Holroyd ..	9,627	51,580	Cessnock, Greater¶ ..	484,000	38,420			
Blacktown Shire (Part)§ ..	21,234	41,490	Maitland¶ ..	95,900	28,040			
Fairfield-Liverpool—			Muswellbrook ..	2,791	6,270			
Fairfield ..	23,806	65,210	Port Macquarie ..	14,902	5,250			
Liverpool (Part) ..	32,040	27,870	Singleton ..	715	4,750			
Northern Harbourside—			Taree ..	7,777	10,220			
Hunters Hill ..	1,416	13,100	Wingham ..	2,111	2,770			
Lane Cove ..	2,566	22,900	Shires—	Sq. Miles				
North Sydney ..	2,584	54,500	Dungog¶   ..	850	6,990			
Mosman ..	2,152	24,840	Gloucester ..	1,069	4,590			
Manly-Warringah—			Gosford ..	394	30,120			
Manly ..	3,755	34,950	Hastings ..	1,420	11,660			
Warringah Shire ..	65,156	84,000	Lake Macquarie‡ ..	290	80,400			
Ku-ring-gai-Willoughby—			Manning ..	1,562	12,600			
Ku-ring-gai ..	20,235	64,070	Muswellbrook ..	1,309	3,810			
Willoughby ..	5,480	52,850	Patrick Plains¶ ..	1,856	6,100			
Ryde-Hornsby—			Port Stephens ..	391	11,740			
Ryde ..	9,921	67,930	Scone ..	1,555	8,870			
Hornsby Shire (Part) ..	20,300	47,250	Stroud ..	1,224	7,390			
Total, Metropolis ..	429,680	2,054,800	Wyong ..	318	15,900			
Balance of Cumberland—			Total, Hunter and Manning ..	13,270	438,420			
Municipalities—	Acres		<b>South Coast</b>					
Camden (Part)† ..	44,829	2,830	Municipalities—	Acres				
Campbelltown ..	77,043	14,000	Greater Wollongong ..	176,416	118,090			
Liverpool (Part) ..	45,506	4,600	Bega ..	2,526	3,720			
Penrith ..	96,975	23,670	Bowral ..	7,384	5,030			
Windsor ..	36,250	11,370	Camden (Part)† ..	6,100	2,610			
Shires—	Sq. Miles		Kiama ..	63,266	4,920			
Baulkham Hills (Part) ..	131	5,950	Shellharbour ..	38,104	8,750			
Blacktown (Part) ..	68	14,580	Shires—	Sq. Miles				
Hornsby (Part) ..	166	6,760	Eurobodalla ..	1,309	6,310			
Total, Balance of Cumberland ..	835	83,760	Imlay ..	1,372	5,360			
Total, Cumberland ..	1,506	2,138,560	Mittagong ..	570	5,950			
Total, South Coast ..	..	..	Mumbulla ..	964	4,120			
			Shoalhaven ..	1,799	19,900			
			Tallaganda ..	1,294	2,860			
			Wingecarribee ..	461	7,750			
			Wollondilly ..	988	12,020			
			Total, South Coast ..	9,217	207,390			

\* Areas are municipalities, unless otherwise stated.

† Camden Municipality is divided between Balance of Cumberland and South Coast.

‡ The estimated population of Newcastle Urban Area (comprising the City of Newcastle and portion of adjoining Lake Macquarie Shire) was 199,080 at 30th June, 1959.

§ From 13th July, 1959, part of Blacktown Shire (840 acres, with an estimated population of 3,000) was transferred to Parramatta Municipality.

¶ From 1st August, 1958, Lower Hunter Shire was abolished and divided between Maitland and Newcastle Municipalities and Dungog and Patrick Plains Shires, and parts of Greater Cessnock Municipality were transferred to Maitland Municipality and Patrick Plains Shire.

|| From 1st July, 1958, Dungog Municipality and Wallarobba Shire were amalgamated to form Dungog Shire.

No. 3. Population and Area of Municipalities and Shires in New South Wales  
at 30th June, 1959 (continued)

Municipality or Shire	Area	Estimated Population	Municipality or Shire	Area	Estimated Population
<b>Northern Tableland</b>					
Municipalities—	Acres		Shires (continued)—	Sq. Miles	
Armidale .....	2,111	9,460	Macintyre (Part)* .....	561	3,100
Glen Innes .....	17,030	5,930	Mandowra .....	865	1,720
Inverell .....	10,370	8,090	Murrurundi .....	954	3,110
Tenterfield .....	4,685	3,380	Nundle .....	615	1,600
Shires—	Sq. Miles		Peel .....	676	5,720
Dumaresq .....	1,573	4,660	Tamarang† .....	1,155	2,950
Gyra .....	1,792	5,920	Yallahoi .....	2,065	5,020
Macintyre (Part)* .....	564	1,400			
Severn .....	2,249	4,310			
Tenterfield .....	2,747	4,460			
Uralla .....	1,183	4,620			
Walcha .....	2,475	3,950			
Total, Northern Tableland .....	12,637	56,180	Total, North Western Slope .....	14,431	73,120
<b>Central Tableland</b>					
Municipalities—	Acres		Municipalities—	Acres	
Bathurst .....	7,264	17,060	Dubbo .....	4,194	13,370
Blue Mountains .....	344,698	23,870	Forbes .....	10,099	6,780
Cowra .....	5,683	6,190	Narromine .....	890	2,120
Lithgow .....	5,095	14,750	Parkes .....	10,704	8,460
Mudgee .....	1,692	5,460	Peak Hill .....	19,283	1,450
Orange .....	5,152	19,250	Shires—	Sq. Miles	
Shires—	Sq. Miles		Boree .....	871	6,450
Abercrombie .....	898	2,970	Coolah (Part)† .....	727	2,490
Blaxland .....	1,331	8,900	Gulgandra .....	1,640	5,330
Canobolas .....	636	6,160	Goobang .....	2,237	5,670
Colo .....	1,031	5,020	Jemalong .....	1,804	4,120
Coolah (Part)† .....	1,138	2,850	Molong .....	920	4,850
Crookwell .....	1,328	5,900	Talbragar .....	1,276	2,870
Cudgegong .....	2,045	6,540	Timbrelong .....	2,023	4,060
Lyndhurst .....	624	6,150	Wellington (Part)† .....	500	2,040
Merriwa .....	1,356	2,950			
Oberon .....	1,129	3,600			
Rylstone .....	1,478	5,110			
Turon .....	905	2,830			
Waugoola .....	1,043	4,220			
Wellington (Part)† .....	1,073	8,850			
Total, Central Tableland .....	16,593	158,630	Total, Central Western Slope .....	12,068	70,060
<b>Southern Tableland</b>					
Municipalities—	Acres		Municipalities—	Acres	
Bombala .....	1,309	1,330	Albury .....	8,445	18,550
Cooma .....	6,310	8,560	Cootamundra .....	3,010	6,040
Goulburn .....	13,303	21,010	Grenfell .....	3,231	2,640
Queanbeyan .....	4,699	8,590	Junee .....	5,523	4,150
Yass .....	7,377	3,870	Murrumburrah .....	5,125	2,750
Shires—	Sq. Miles		Temora .....	5,303	4,720
Bibbenluke .....	1,521	2,610	Wagga Wagga .....	21,509	21,250
Goodradigbee .....	1,308	4,120	Young .....	3,475	5,770
Gunning .....	849	2,570	Shires—	Sq. Miles	
Monaro .....	1,875	2,300	Bland .....	3,265	8,990
Mulwaree .....	2,011	5,180	Boorowa .....	1,004	3,720
Snowy River .....	2,330	6,080	Burrangong .....	1,025	4,700
Yarrowlumla .....	1,160	3,790	Demondrille .....	711	2,900
Total, Southern Tableland .....	11,104	7,0010	Gundagai .....	945	5,000
<b>North Western Slope</b>					
Municipalities—	Acres		Holbrook .....	1,000	3,100
Gunnedah .....	3,037	6,050	Hume .....	770	6,890
Manilla .....	1,253	2,070	Illabo .....	781	2,220
Quirindi† .....	2,900	2,830	Jindalee .....	583	2,360
Tamworth .....	10,704	18,400	Kyeamba .....	1,035	4,600
Shires—	Sq. Miles		Mitchell .....	818	3,700
Ashford .....	2,188	3,160	Narraburra .....	1,078	3,200
Barbora .....	1,187	3,330	Tumbarumba .....	1,691	4,900
Bingara .....	1,104	3,000	Tumut .....	1,449	11,400
Cockburn .....	1,071	5,600	Weddin .....	1,318	3,450
Liverpool Plains .....	1,961	5,460			
Total, North Western Slope .....	17,561	137,000			
<b>North Central Plain</b>					
Municipalities—	Acres		Municipalities—	Acres	
Moree .....	8,157	6,130	Narrabri .....	3,782	5,310
Narrabri .....	3,782		Shires—	Sq. Miles	
Boolooroo .....	3,204	4,080	Boomi .....	3,654	3,340
Coonabarabran .....	2,963	7,890	Namoi† .....	5,069	8,250
Total, North Central Plain† .....	14,909	35,000			

\* Macintyre Shire is divided between Northern Tableland and North Western Slope.

† Coolah and Wellington Shires are divided between Central Tableland and Central Western Slope.

‡ Area changed since 30th June, 1958.

No. 3. Population and Area of Municipalities and Shires in New South Wales  
at 30th June, 1959 (continued)

Municipality or Shire	Area	Estimated Population	Municipality or Shire	Area	Estimated Population																																																																																																												
<b>Central Plain</b>																																																																																																																	
Municipalities—	Acres		Municipalities—	Acres																																																																																																													
Condobolin	30,180	2,980	Broken Hill	16,736	33,420																																																																																																												
Nyngan ..	2,969	2,580	Shires—	Sq. Miles																																																																																																													
Shires—	Sq. Miles		Balranald‡§	8,270	2,900																																																																																																												
Bogan (Part)†	4,608	2,020	Bogan (Part)†§	1,028	280																																																																																																												
Coonamble ..	4,064	7,420	Brewarrina ..	7,288	3,330																																																																																																												
Lachlan ..	5,883	6,210	Carrathool (Part)‡	3,456	670																																																																																																												
Walgett (Part)†§	4,346	4,630	Central Darling	19,844	3,820																																																																																																												
Warren ..	4,193	4,730	Cobar ..	16,953	5,010																																																																																																												
Total, Central Plains§ ..	23,146	30,570	Darling ..	16,779	5,020																																																																																																												
<b>Riverina</b>																																																																																																																	
Municipalities—	Acres		Walgett (Part)†	4,151	2,260																																																																																																												
Deniliquin ..	32,000	5,530	Waradgery (Part)¶¶	698	140																																																																																																												
Hay ..	31,450	3,100	Wentworth§ ..	10,104	6,510																																																																																																												
Narrandera ..	4,668	4,700	Unincorporated‡§   ..	36,962	2,020																																																																																																												
Shires—	Sq. Miles		Total, Western Division ..	125,560	65,380																																																																																																												
Berrigan ..	791	6,420	<b>Summary</b>																																																																																																														
Carrathool (Part)‡	4,309	5,470	Conargo ..	1,443	1,990	Municipalities ..	Sq. Miles		2,613,240	Coolamon ..	936	5,100	Shires ..	268,984		1,133,790	Corowa ..	847	5,870	Unincorporated Area in Western Division ..	36,962		2,020	Culcairn ..	610	4,730	Lord Howe Island ..	5		248	Jerilderie ..	1,315	2,100	Migratory ..	...		7,077	Leeton ..	310	10,550	Total, New South Wales ..	309,433*	3,756,375	Lockhart ..	1,131	4,900					Murray ..	1,671	3,200					Murrumbidgee ..	1,311	860					Urana ..	1,297	2,750					Wade ..	250	15,670					Wakool ..	2,915	5,150					Waradgery (Part)¶¶ ..	3,669	890					Windouran ..	1,966	810					Yanko ..	1,632	3,660					Total, Riverina ..	26,509	93,450				
Conargo ..	1,443	1,990	Municipalities ..	Sq. Miles		2,613,240																																																																																																											
Coolamon ..	936	5,100	Shires ..	268,984		1,133,790																																																																																																											
Corowa ..	847	5,870	Unincorporated Area in Western Division ..	36,962		2,020																																																																																																											
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Leeton ..	310	10,550	Total, New South Wales ..	309,433*	3,756,375																																																																																																												
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\* Includes 34 square miles of harbours, rivers, etc., which are not included within municipal or shire boundaries.

† Bogan and Walgett Shires are divided between Central Plain and Western Division.

‡ Carrathool Shire is divided between Riverina and Western Division.

¶ Waradgery Shire is divided between Riverina and Western Division. The Western Division Part comprises the part of Balranald Shire and the part of the Unincorporated Area which were added to Waradgery Shire from 1st May, 1959.

§ Area changed since 30th June, 1958.

|| From 1st May, 1959, Wilcannia Municipality and part of the Unincorporated Area were amalgamated to form Central Darling Shire.

## No. 4. Net Oversea Migration\* to and from New South Wales

Country	Year			Quarter				
	1956	1957	1958	Sept. Qr. 1958	Dec. Qr., 1958	Mar. Qr., 1959	June Qr., 1959	Sept. Qr., 1959
United Kingdom ..	10,737	15,019	12,561	3,099	3,802	3,557	1,622	2,049
Canada ..	(—) 822	(—) 1,068	(—) 795	(—) 50	586	(—) 256	(—) 436	(—) 35
Hong Kong ..	939	1,891	1,626	415	560	797	544	459
India, Ceylon, and Pakistan ..	989	878	565	122	289	220	17	108
New Zealand ..	(—) 617	(—) 6,367	(—) 1,699	(—) 365	(—) 2,297	801	2,875	92
Singapore ..	56	1,248	934	445	261	599	(—) 362	281
Other Commonwealth Countries ..	(—) 888	(—) 1,146	(—) 143	233	193	489	(—) 944	(—) 198
France ..	221	1,613	(—) 125	19	(—) 29	(—) 60	(—) 44	58
Germany ..	635	1,783	391	114	125	310	323	213
Greece ..	1,840	1,560	1,595	278	122	269	164	220
Hawaii ..	(—) 170	(—) 195	197	585	629	(—) 126	(—) 523	355
Indonesia ..	382	3	176	53	(—) 120	14	(—) 79	(—) 62
Italy ..	3,257	4,193	966	270	542	312	415	95
Japan ..	1,601	61	(—) 19	35	67	3	9	(—) 50
Netherlands ..	3,097	3,903	3,125	994	1,169	655	895	1,115
United States of America ..	963	1,280	476	461	1,139	(—) 158	(—) 547	759
Other Foreign Countries ..	3,665	3,538	1,623	775	832	571	(—) 195	298
Net Oversea Migration	25,885	28,194	21,454	7,483	7,870	7,997	3,734	5,757

\* Excess of arrivals over departures through ports of N.S.W., classified according to country of embarkation or disembarkation. (—) denotes excess of departures over arrivals.

## No. 5. Nationality of Oversea Migrants to and from New South Wales

Nationality	Year		1959		Year		1959	
	1957	1958	Mar. Qr.	June Qr.	1957	1958	Mar. Qr.	June Qr.
Total Arrivals								
British† ..	75,444	104,876	28,592	23,910	18,530	29,232	8,289	7,706
American (U.S.) ..	5,599	7,182	2,258	1,660	696	1,209	323	289
Austrian ..	549	286	107	137	446	194	85	107
Chinese ..	1,007	1,355	602	331	419	589	377	138
Dutch ..	3,661	5,081	1,227	1,494	2,276	3,310	857	1,075
French ..	1,555	1,302	319	216	249	233	53	39
German ..	1,204	1,538	387	436	762	864	231	291
Greek ..	2,965	2,243	494	254	2,860	2,108	457	228
Hungarian ..	2,955	293	71	33	2,921	240	61	21
Indonesian ..	322	272	149	70	22	51	54	14
Israeli ..	260	518	171	119	224	437	149	101
Italian ..	4,664	4,055	974	986	4,190	3,493	862	907
Japanese ..	529	818	274	165	99	145	48	28
Russian ..	762	367	290	379	746	344	264	372
Yugoslav ..	526	671	227	179	449	554	208	144
Stateless ..	1,241	1,079	435	283	1,174	933	413	263
Other ..	2,715	3,460	1,042	950	1,608	1,987	589	591
Total ..	105,958	135,396	37,619	31,602	37,671	45,923	13,320	12,314
Total Departures								
British† ..	74,585	94,043	24,383	23,075	13,811	20,078	4,177	3,631
American (U.S.) ..	6,396	6,846	2,010	1,754	450	717	99	157
Austrian ..	261	377	54	79	108	237	37	50
Chinese ..	886	817	216	175	146	97	32	17
Dutch ..	2,067	2,531	536	640	494	742	130	150
French ..	1,637	1,371	392	319	205	211	49	46
German ..	1,117	1,501	317	332	487	775	148	137
Greek ..	401	443	153	53	182	289	83	29
Hungarian ..	119	233	31	16	43	88	15	6
Indonesian ..	375	307	96	46	16	35	20	11
Israeli ..	67	96	19	31	10	19	4	2
Italian ..	1,360	1,770	389	421	881	1,098	243	254
Japanese ..	479	678	238	173	34	43	26	20
Russian ..	40	101	46	27	22	71	23	19
Yugoslav ..	119	170	45	59	27	40	14	19
Stateless ..	128	351	56	50	66	254	34	39
Other ..	1,857	2,307	641	618	421	725	157	158
Total ..	91,894	113,942	29,622	27,868	17,403	25,519	5,291	4,745

\* Persons who state that they intend to reside for one year or longer.

† Includes Irish.

Note. Figures for 1957 relate to residents or intending residents of the State of N.S.W., irrespective of the Australian port of departure or arrival. Figures for 1958 relate to movement through ports of N.S.W.

### No. 6. Births, Deaths, and Marriages in New South Wales

Period	Live Births	Deaths		Marriages	Annual Rate per 1,000 Mean Population			Infantile Mortality: Deaths under 1 year per 1,000 Live Births
		Total	Under 1 year		Live Births	Deaths	Marriages	
Year: 1948	67,234	30,403	2,037	30,164	22.26	10.07	9.99	30.3
1949	68,812	29,364	1,878	28,757	22.25	9.49	9.30	27.3
1950	71,592	30,965	1,936	30,036	22.42	9.70	9.41	27.0
1951	72,069	31,932	1,895	30,341	21.98	9.74	9.25	26.3
1952	74,196	32,038	1,818	29,351	22.20	9.59	8.78	24.5
1953	74,890	31,707	1,846	27,573	22.11	9.36	8.14	24.6
1954	73,125	32,444	1,850	27,503	21.33	9.46	8.02	25.3
1955	74,407	32,553	1,850	27,645	21.31	9.32	7.92	24.9
1956	75,714	34,064	1,777	27,313	21.29	9.58	7.68	23.5
1957	79,456	33,317	1,804	28,767	21.93	9.20	7.94	22.7
1958	80,045	32,350	1,704	28,554	21.67	8.76	7.73	21.3
1957: Sept. Qr.	20,422	10,159	483	6,250	22.51	11.20	6.89	23.7
Dec. Qr.	19,933	7,809	424	7,530	21.85	8.56	8.26	21.3
1958: Mar. Qr.	19,950	7,087	418	7,194	21.74	7.72	7.84	21.0
June Qr.	19,612	7,816	405	7,395	21.29	8.48	8.03	20.7
Sept. Qr.	20,914	9,718	457	6,041	22.62	10.51	6.53	21.9
Dec. Qr.	19,569	7,729	424	7,924	21.06	8.32	8.53	21.7
1959: Mar. Qr.	19,441	7,238	444	7,005	20.82	7.75	7.50	22.8
June Qr.	21,098	9,642	450	7,385	22.50	10.28	7.88	21.3
Sept. Qr.	20,719	10,191	506	6,095	22.01	10.83	6.47	24.4

### No. 7. Principal Causes of Death\*, New South Wales

International Code No.	Cause of Death	Year		Jan.-Sept.	
		1957	1958	1958	1959 P
001-019	Tuberculosis (all forms) .. .. ..	248	190	156	188
020-138	Other infective and parasitic diseases .. ..	228	195	153	163
140-205	Malignant neoplasms .. .. ..	4,845	4,871	3,682	3,764
210-239	Benign and unspecified neoplasms .. ..	106	78	57	61
260	Diabetes mellitus .. .. ..	395	366	274	290
290-293	Anaemias .. .. ..	110	108	82	87
330-334	Vascular lesions affecting central nervous system ..	4,780	4,491	3,406	3,666
340	Meningitis except meningococcal and tuberculous ..	47	37	32	23
410-416	Chronic rheumatic heart disease .. ..	243	239	175	217
420-422	Arteriosclerotic and degenerative heart disease ..	9,286	9,467	7,200	8,004
430-434	Other diseases of the heart .. .. ..	1,130	1,126	892	997
440-443	Hypertension with heart disease .. ..	848	739	546	637
444-447	Hypertension without mention of heart .. ..	413	421	326	261
480-483	Influenza .. .. ..	116	18	14	190
490-493	Pneumonia .. .. ..	1,367	1,192	927	1,269
500-502	Bronchitis .. .. ..	369	365	281	391
540-541	Ulcer of stomach and duodenum .. .. ..	308	298	221	194
560, 561, 570	Intestinal obstruction and hernia .. ..	219	241	186	184
590-594	Nephritis and nephrosis .. .. ..	478	426	319	313
640-689	Deliveries and complications of pregnancy, child-birth, and the puerperium .. .. ..	64	52	43	37
750-759	Congenital malformations .. .. ..	396	413	315	335
760-776	Certain diseases of early infancy .. .. ..	1,078	976	720	840
E800-E962	Accidents .. .. ..	1,937	1,757	1,351	1,445
E963-E999	Other violence .. .. ..	537	549	403	361
Residual	All other causes .. .. ..	3,769	3,735	2,860	3,154
	Total Deaths .. .. ..	33,317	32,350	24,621	27,071

\* From 1st January, 1958, based on the Seventh Revision (1955) of the International Statistical Classification of Diseases, Injuries, and Causes of Death. Figures for the earlier periods are based on the Sixth Revision (1948).

**No. 8. Wage and Salary Earners in Civilian Employment in N.S.W.:**  
**Government and Private**

(Excluding Rural Workers, Females in Private Domestic Service, and Defence Forces)

Notes.

1. The estimates of employment given in Tables 2 and 3 are derived from three main sources:—

- (a) monthly employment in factories, as recorded in the annual factory censuses;
- (b) monthly returns from governmental authorities; and
- (c) monthly returns supplied by employers for purposes of Commonwealth pay-roll taxation.

These are supplemented by some other direct records of monthly employment (e.g. hospitals) and by estimates of the number of employees outside the scope of the main sources. The numbers of factory employees shown for months subsequent to June, 1958 are estimates which are subject to revision in the light of the results of the factory censuses for 1958-59 and later years.

2. Workers in rural industry, females in private domestic service, members of the full-time defence forces at home or abroad, and National Service Trainees in camp are excluded.

3. The estimates are designed to measure monthly trends in employment in the defined field. They are compiled on an establishment or enterprise basis and therefore do not cover exactly the same area of industry as the industry tabulations compiled on the occasion of a population census from the schedules provided by individuals.

Month	Government Authorities*			Private Employment			Total Employment		
				Males	Females	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
	Males	Females	Persons						
Thousands									
1947: June	178.2	32.3	210.5	493.6	219.8	713.4	671.8	252.1	923.9
1948: June	186.1	33.6	219.7	516.2	228.3	744.5	702.3	261.9	964.2
1949: June	195.4	36.0	231.4	523.3	233.4	756.7	718.7	269.4	988.1
1950: June	202.7	39.1	241.8	542.8	242.0	784.8	745.5	281.1	1,026.6
1951: June	207.2	41.4	248.6	561.4	253.8	815.2	768.6	295.2	1,063.8
1952: June	214.0	41.9	255.9	548.9	231.3	780.2	762.9	273.2	1,036.1
1953: June	206.8	39.3	246.1	538.4	230.5	768.9	745.2	269.8	1,015.0
1954: June	210.6	40.0	250.6	560.7	244.3	805.0	771.3	284.3	1,055.6
1955: June	215.2	42.3	257.5	578.9	255.1	834.0	794.1	297.4	1,091.5
1956: May	216.1	44.1	260.2	593.7	262.9	856.6	809.8	307.0	1,116.8
June	216.7	44.2	260.9	591.6	261.7	853.3	808.3	305.9	1,114.2
July	217.4	44.6	262.0	588.2	261.0	849.2	805.6	305.6	1,111.2
Aug.	217.0	44.4	261.4	589.0	261.0	850.0	806.0	305.4	1,111.4
Sept.	215.1	44.2	259.3	591.3	262.4	853.7	806.4	306.6	1,113.0
Oct.	213.7	44.0	257.7	592.1	264.6	856.7	805.8	308.6	1,114.4
Nov.	214.1	44.1	258.2	596.7	267.4	864.1	810.8	311.5	1,122.3
Dec.	215.0	43.8	258.8	596.1	268.1	864.2	811.1	311.9	1,123.0
1957: Jan.	215.3	44.1	259.4	594.3	263.6	857.9	809.6	307.7	1,117.3
Feb.	215.5	45.2	260.7	596.1	264.9	861.0	811.6	310.1	1,121.7
Mar.	215.6	45.2	260.8	596.2	265.6	861.8	811.8	310.8	1,122.6
Apr.	216.0	45.0	261.0	592.2	264.2	856.4	808.2	309.2	1,117.4
May	216.7	45.1	261.8	593.4	264.8	858.2	810.1	309.9	1,120.0
June	217.0	45.2	262.2	593.2	264.1	857.3	810.2	309.3	1,119.5
July	216.9	45.4	262.3	593.4	263.4	856.8	810.3	308.8	1,119.1
Aug.	215.9	45.4	261.3	592.9	264.4	857.3	808.8	309.8	1,118.6
Sept.	215.9	45.5	261.4	594.8	266.8	861.6	810.7	312.3	1,123.0
Oct.	216.2	45.2	261.4	595.9	269.3	865.2	812.1	314.5	1,126.6
Nov.	216.1	45.3	261.4	596.0	273.3	869.3	812.1	318.6	1,130.7
Dec.	216.5	45.1	261.6	595.6	271.8	867.4	812.1	316.9	1,129.0
1958: Jan.	217.7	46.0	263.7	595.6	267.8	863.4	813.3	313.8	1,127.1
Feb.	217.8	46.3	264.1	597.5	269.6	867.1	815.3	315.9	1,131.2
Mar.	218.4	46.3	264.7	596.4	269.8	866.2	814.8	316.1	1,130.9
Apr.	219.0	46.2	265.2	596.8	269.3	866.1	815.8	315.5	1,131.3
May	219.5	46.1	265.6	595.4	269.5	864.9	814.9	315.6	1,130.5
June	220.1	46.2	266.3	593.8	268.2	862.0	813.9	314.4	1,128.3
July	220.2	46.7	266.9	592.2	268.2	860.4	812.4	314.9	1,127.3
Aug.	219.8	46.4	266.2	591.2	268.2	859.4	811.0	314.6	1,125.6
Sept.	219.5	46.5	266.0	590.8	268.6	859.4	810.3	315.1	1,125.4
Oct.	219.7	46.4	266.1	593.3	269.2	862.5	813.0	315.6	1,128.6
Nov.	220.5	46.5	267.0	596.0	271.3	867.3	816.5	317.8	1,134.3
Dec.	220.5	46.5	267.0	595.0	272.8	867.8	815.5	319.3	1,134.8
1959: Jan.	221.9	47.5	269.4	593.5	268.2	861.7	815.4	315.7	1,131.1
Feb.	222.3	48.1	270.4	594.3	269.8	864.1	816.6	317.9	1,134.5
Mar.	222.2	48.3	270.5	594.4	270.6	865.0	816.6	318.9	1,135.5
Apr.	222.1	48.4	270.5	594.9	270.9	865.8	817.0	319.3	1,136.3
May	222.1	48.4	270.5	596.1	271.8	867.9	818.2	320.2	1,138.4
June	222.4	48.5	270.9	596.8	271.8	868.6	819.2	320.3	1,139.5
July	222.3	48.6	270.9	596.5	272.8	869.3	818.8	321.4	1,140.2
Aug.	222.0	48.3	270.3	596.9	272.3	869.2	818.9	320.6	1,139.5
Sept.	221.6	48.3	269.9	601.0	274.9	875.9	822.6	323.2	1,145.8
Oct.	220.7	48.4	269.1	603.3	277.7	881.0	824.0	326.1	1,150.1

\* Employees of Commonwealth, State, and local governmental authorities.

**No. 9. Wage and Salary Earners in Civilian Employment in N.S.W.: Principal Industrial Groups**

(See notes above Table 8)

Month	Mining and Quarrying	Factories	Building and Con- struction	Transport and Com- munication	Finance and Property	Wholesale Trade, etc.	Retail Trade	Pro- fes- sional and Personal Services†	Total Wage and Salary Earners in Civilian Em- ployment*
	Thousands								

**MALES**

1953: June	30.1	283.1	63.3	113.5	22.2	46.2	48.8	67.1	745.2
1954: June	30.9	297.1	69.3	114.0	22.4	48.3	50.6	67.6	771.3
1955: June	30.3	306.7	72.9	117.2	23.0	50.7	50.9	70.2	794.1
1956: June	29.4	314.8	76.3	117.7	23.9	51.1	50.5	71.7	808.3
1957: June	28.8	317.9	74.6	117.1	24.9	51.1	50.1	73.4	810.2
1958: June	25.6	326.0	67.8	117.5	25.9	50.9	51.9	74.4	813.9
1958: Apr.	26.4	326.5	68.7	116.7	25.8	51.1	51.9	75.0	815.8
May	26.3	326.6	68.3	116.8	25.8	50.8	52.2	74.4	814.9
June	25.6	326.0	67.8	117.5	25.9	50.9	51.9	74.4	813.9
July	25.3	326.0	67.1	117.4	25.9	50.5	52.0	74.0	812.4
Aug.	25.3	325.5	66.6	117.3	25.9	50.8	51.6	73.9	811.0
Sept.	24.6	325.3	66.2	116.8	26.1	51.3	51.9	74.0	810.3
Oct.	24.7	326.0	67.2	116.6	26.0	51.5	52.1	74.5	813.0
1959: Apr.	23.0	328.0	68.1	116.4	27.2	51.9	51.7	75.8	817.0
May	22.8	329.3	68.6	115.9	27.0	51.6	52.1	75.8	818.2
June	22.8	330.0	68.5	116.3	27.1	51.4	52.2	75.7	819.2
July	22.6	330.3	68.4	116.4	27.2	51.2	52.0	75.5	818.8
Aug.	22.5	330.7	68.3	116.2	27.2	51.4	51.7	75.8	818.9
Sept.	22.6	333.1	68.6	116.1	27.3	52.1	51.7	76.1	822.6
Oct.	22.5	333.7	69.0	115.7	27.3	52.5	52.1	76.3	824.0

**FEMALES**

1953: June	0.3	89.6	1.8	14.0	14.2	15.1	41.0	82.2	269.8
1954: June	0.3	97.6	2.0	14.3	15.2	16.2	43.1	84.1	284.3
1955: June	0.3	101.4	2.1	15.1	16.8	17.4	44.8	87.3	297.4
1956: June	0.4	103.2	2.3	15.7	18.5	17.7	45.5	90.3	305.9
1957: June	0.3	104.6	2.3	15.7	19.2	18.3	44.9	91.9	309.3
1958: June	0.3	105.5	2.4	15.6	20.1	18.2	46.6	93.2	314.4
1958: Apr.	0.3	106.1	2.4	15.8	20.1	18.3	46.3	93.8	315.5
May	0.3	105.8	2.4	15.6	20.2	18.3	47.1	93.5	315.6
June	0.3	105.5	2.4	15.6	20.1	18.2	46.6	93.2	314.4
July	0.3	105.4	2.4	15.5	20.2	18.2	46.7	93.5	314.9
Aug.	0.3	105.6	2.4	15.5	20.2	18.1	46.4	93.5	314.6
Sept.	0.3	106.0	2.4	15.5	20.2	18.2	46.3	93.7	315.1
Oct.	0.3	105.6	2.4	15.5	20.2	18.2	46.8	94.2	315.6
1959: Apr.	0.3	105.6	2.5	15.8	21.3	18.3	46.2	96.5	319.3
May	0.3	106.1	2.5	15.7	21.2	18.3	46.9	96.4	320.2
June	0.3	107.0	2.5	15.7	21.2	18.2	46.2	96.4	320.3
July	0.3	107.8	2.5	15.7	21.3	18.1	46.4	96.4	321.4
Aug.	0.3	108.4	2.5	15.7	21.1	18.2	45.6	96.0	320.6
Sept.	0.3	109.8	2.5	15.6	21.2	18.3	45.9	96.8	323.2
Oct.	0.3	111.0	2.5	15.8	21.3	18.5	47.0	97.0	326.1

**PERSONS**

1953: June	30.4	372.7	65.1	127.5	36.4	61.3	89.8	149.3	1,015.0
1954: June	31.2	394.7	71.3	128.3	37.6	64.5	93.7	151.7	1,055.6
1955: June	30.6	408.1	75.0	132.3	39.8	68.1	95.7	157.5	1,091.5
1956: June	29.8	418.0	78.6	133.4	42.4	68.8	96.0	162.0	1,114.2
1957: June	29.1	422.5	76.9	132.8	44.1	69.4	95.0	165.3	1,119.5
1958: June	25.9	431.5	70.2	133.1	46.0	69.1	98.5	167.6	1,128.3
1958: Apr.	26.7	432.6	71.1	132.5	45.9	69.4	98.2	168.8	1,131.3
May	26.6	432.4	70.7	132.4	46.0	69.1	99.3	167.9	1,130.5
June	25.9	431.5	70.2	133.1	46.0	69.1	98.5	167.6	1,128.3
July	25.6	431.4	69.5	132.9	46.1	68.7	98.7	167.5	1,127.3
Aug.	25.6	431.1	69.0	132.8	46.1	68.9	98.0	167.4	1,125.6
Sept.	24.9	431.3	68.6	132.3	46.3	69.5	98.2	167.7	1,125.4
Oct.	25.0	431.6	69.6	132.1	46.2	69.7	98.9	168.7	1,128.6
1959: Apr.	23.3	433.6	70.6	132.2	48.5	70.2	97.9	172.3	1,136.3
May	23.1	435.4	71.1	131.6	48.2	69.9	99.0	172.2	1,138.4
June	23.1	437.0	71.0	132.0	48.3	69.6	98.4	172.1	1,139.5
July	22.9	438.1	70.9	132.1	48.5	69.3	98.4	171.9	1,140.2
Aug.	22.8	439.1	70.8	131.9	48.3	69.6	97.3	171.8	1,139.5
Sept.	22.9	442.9	71.1	131.7	48.5	70.4	97.6	172.9	1,145.8
Oct.	22.8	444.7	71.5	131.5	48.6	71.0	99.1	173.3	1,150.1

\* Including miscellaneous groups (74,900 males, 12,700 females, 87,600 persons in October, 1959) not shown in the table.

† Includes Education, Health, Law, Hotels and Restaurants, and other Professional and Personal Services.

## No. 10. Employment in Larger Private Factories, New South Wales

In order to provide a prompt indication of the trend of employment in private factories, a survey of employment in 710 of the larger private factories in New South Wales is made at the end of each month, by joint arrangement between the Secretary of the Department of Labour and National Service and the Commonwealth Statistician. Approximately half of total factory employment is covered by the collection, the results of which are usually available one month earlier than particulars of total factory employment shown in Table 9.

Industrial Group	1958			1959					
	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.
	MALES								
Building Materials	15,241	15,263	15,277	15,009	15,038	15,057	15,188	15,185	15,230
Basic Metals	36,495	36,712	36,955	37,732	37,893	37,972	37,957	38,290	38,609
Transportation Equipment	18,491	18,576	18,625	19,240	19,366	19,641	19,778	19,920	19,951
Other Metal Manufacturing	40,990	40,998	40,899	41,102	41,190	41,774	41,876	41,939	41,894
Chemicals and Allied Products	9,555	9,526	9,566	9,863	9,947	9,937	9,955	9,980	10,000
Clothing and Textiles	10,585	10,610	10,564	10,556	10,507	10,566	10,535	10,523	10,540
Other (excluding Food)	20,072	20,045	20,132	20,318	20,431	20,664	20,722	20,799	20,856
Total of above	151,429	151,730	152,018	153,820	154,372	155,611	156,011	156,636	157,080
Food	15,064	15,558	15,449	15,282	15,115	15,348	15,483	15,726	16,054
Total, All Groups	166,493	167,288	167,467	169,102	169,487	170,959	171,494	172,362	173,134
FEMALES									
Building Materials	1,452	1,437	1,451	1,382	1,356	1,375	1,402	1,415	1,392
Basic Metals	1,967	1,992	2,049	2,079	2,094	2,101	2,085	2,070	2,084
Transportation Equipment	2,060	2,042	2,032	2,074	2,076	2,123	2,195	2,222	2,216
Other Metal Manufacturing	12,160	12,012	11,858	12,871	12,989	13,156	13,218	13,304	13,198
Chemicals and Allied Products	2,449	2,450	2,468	2,576	2,592	2,587	2,572	2,622	2,567
Clothing and Textiles	18,579	18,645	18,580	19,105	19,115	19,263	19,280	19,187	19,164
Other (excluding Food)	5,852	5,783	5,732	5,704	5,811	5,883	5,986	5,980	5,967
Total of above	44,519	44,361	44,170	45,791	46,033	46,488	46,738	46,800	46,588
Food	6,124	6,296	6,265	5,951	5,983	6,283	6,587	6,594	6,799
Total, All Groups	50,643	50,657	50,435	51,742	52,016	52,771	53,325	53,394	53,387
PERSONS									
Building Materials	16,693	16,700	16,728	16,391	16,394	16,432	16,590	16,600	16,622
Basic Metals	38,462	38,704	39,004	39,811	39,987	40,073	40,042	40,360	40,693
Transportation Equipment	20,551	20,618	20,657	21,314	21,442	21,764	21,973	22,142	22,167
Other Metal Manufacturing	53,150	53,010	52,757	53,973	54,179	54,930	55,094	55,243	55,092
Chemicals and Allied Products	12,004	11,976	12,034	12,439	12,539	12,524	12,527	12,602	12,567
Clothing and Textiles	29,164	29,255	29,144	29,661	29,622	29,829	29,815	29,710	29,704
Other (excluding Food)	25,924	25,828	25,864	26,022	26,242	26,547	26,708	26,779	26,823
Total of above	195,948	196,091	196,188	199,611	200,405	202,099	202,749	203,436	203,668
Food	21,188	21,854	21,714	21,233	21,098	21,631	22,070	22,320	22,853
Total, All Groups	217,136	217,945	217,902	220,844	221,503	223,730	224,819	225,756	226,521

## No. 11. Wages and Salaries Paid and Average Earnings, New South Wales\*

Year	Total Wages and Salaries Paid: Weekly Average †	Average Weekly Earnings per Male Unit ‡	Quarter	Total Wages and Salaries Paid: Weekly Average				Average Weekly Earnings per Male Unit					
				†				‡					
				1956-57	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60		
£ thousand	£	£		£ thousand									
1951-52	14,778	14.74	Sept. Qr.	20,363	21,289	22,182	23,583	19.43	20.18	20.92	21.97		
1952-53	15,422	15.96	Dec. Qr.	21,904	22,741	23,645		20.76	21.44	22.19			
1953-54	16,480	16.69	Mar. Qr.	20,144	20,630	21,253		19.09	19.43	19.94			
1954-55	17,970	17.64	June Qr.	21,363	21,995	22,857		20.29	20.70	21.37			
1955-56	19,764	18.92											
1956-57	20,943	19.89											
1957-58	21,664	20.44											
1958-59	22,484	21.11											

\* Includes Australian Capital Territory.

† Excludes pay of members of the armed forces.

‡ Total wages divided by total civilian employment expressed in male units. Male units represent total male employment plus a proportion of female employment based on the approximate ratio of female to male earnings.

Note. Comparisons as to trend should be made for complete years or corresponding quarters. The quarters are affected by seasonal influences.

### No. 12. Rainfall in New South Wales

#### (a). Principal Sheep and Wheat Districts

(Principal Wheat Districts are marked "A")

Division	Actual Rainfall during Month						Ratio per cent. of Actual to Normal Rainfall (Normal = 100)						
	1959						1959						
	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	
Tablelands—													
Northern ...	{ E ...	In. 2.34	In. 0.79	In. 3.03	In. 2.36	In. 9.10	In. 9.01	In. 121	In. 60	In. 165	In. 93	In. 272	In. 216
	{ W ...	3.11	0.15	2.54	3.27	5.37	8.74	143	8	122	124	173	236
Central ...	{ N A	1.76	0.19	0.87	3.81	2.90	2.97	90	10	43	188	129	109
Southern ...	{ S A	3.52	0.85	1.47	5.78	4.33	1.98	118	34	61	230	168	63
	{ ...	3.17	1.05	2.55	6.45	3.76	1.52	151	59	127	309	200	65
Western Slopes—													
North ...	{ N A	2.21	0.08	1.32	2.35	4.57	6.90	120	5	84	115	185	226
	{ S A	1.63	0.08	1.61	2.59	3.13	4.13	89	4	89	126	124	133
Central ...	{ N A	1.87	0.05	0.65	2.39	2.72	2.90	86	3	36	145	133	105
South ...	{ S A	2.32	0.45	0.65	2.09	1.53	1.61	121	23	35	117	88	74
	{ S ...	1.83	0.85	1.55	3.45	1.95	0.36	85	41	80	179	122	19
	{ ...	1.97	2.19	3.27	4.04	3.13	0.42	63	71	122	145	158	20
Plains—													
North ...	{ E A	2.51	0.05	0.78	1.67	3.64	2.97	146	4	56	105	173	108
	{ W ...	2.77	0.02	0.62	1.57	1.58	1.94	201	2	60	121	92	80
Central ...	{ N A	2.49	0.01	0.43	1.43	0.46	1.20	179	1	37	124	30	62
Riverina ...	{ S A	2.07	0.16	0.52	2.15	0.87	1.51	135	11	39	167	67	92
	{ E A	1.08	0.76	1.32	2.80	0.82	0.81	65	43	83	169	67	64
	{ W A	0.70	0.25	0.68	3.29	0.16	0.92	60	20	52	289	16	88
Western Division—													
Eastern ...	{ N ...	0.84	0.16	0.52	1.57	0.24	0.19	94	20	63	174	20	12
	{ S ...	0.68	0.25	0.52	3.02	0.19	0.70	64	21	47	282	20	59
Western ...	{ N S	0.35	0.47	0.21	2.21	0.02	0.27	62	89	40	316	3	29
	{ S ...	0.55	0.41	0.29	2.21	0.02	0.33	72	44	33	254	3	40

#### (b). Principal Dairying Districts

Division of Coast	Actual Rainfall during Month						Ratio per cent. of Actual to Normal Rainfall (Normal = 100)						
	1959						1959						
	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	July	Aug.	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.	Dec.	
North ...	{ N ...	In. 6.06	In. 2.16	In. 6.02	In. 4.25	In. 9.38	In. 6.40	157	81	224	151	246	136
	{ S ...	4.66	2.63	6.37	3.01	14.76	5.97	127	101	238	91	372	122
Hunter and Manning ...	{ N ...	4.79	4.62	3.30	9.00	8.81	4.40	112	148	106	321	265	96
South ...	{ N S	2.22	3.18	1.85	6.71	3.72	3.97	70	146	78	312	148	112
	{ S ...	6.26	1.12	2.46	17.96	4.18	2.30	144	47	99	704	167	65
	{ ...	5.55	0.95	2.20	13.76	5.50	2.93	193	48	84	544	237	99

Note. Tables 12 and 13 are based upon the records of the Commonwealth Meteorologist. The divisions correspond approximately with the statistical divisions shown on the map in frontispiece of the Official Year Book of New South Wales, each division being subdivided into two sectors indicated by the letters N, S, E, or W according as they constitute the northern, southern, eastern, or western portion of the division concerned. Normal Rainfall is based on a period ended 1929.

### No. 13. Rainfall Index: Weighted Average Ratio of Actual to Normal Rainfall, N.S.W.

Normal Rainfall for each month = 100

Month	Sheep Districts					Wheat Districts				Dairying Districts (Coastal Only)			
	N.	C.	S.	W.	T.	N.	C.	S.	T.	N.	C.	S.	T.
1958: November	45	35	92	194	74	48	35	101	77	50	33	32	44
December	146	131	128	76	129	149	124	125	128	158	143	132	151
1959: January	170	166	57	164	132	131	148	54	88	215	208	101	199
February	235	277	239	99	234	214	307	253	262	161	146	163	157
March	147	223	235	226	206	137	248	259	239	193	202	228	200
April	112	205	150	191	159	110	206	137	151	45	77	64	56
May	65	27	38	38	46	64	27	41	40	44	49	25	43
June	26	79	96	25	64	30	78	76	71	74	111	144	92
July	134	131	87	80	112	107	115	72	88	149	95	173	139
August	9	14	44	32	24	4	16	37	28	86	147	48	97
September	88	42	88	51	71	80	40	75	67	227	95	90	176
October	116	161	218	226	174	119	157	198	178	136	317	608	243
November	159	94	108	15	108	145	104	79	94	277	218	209	253
December	160	79	52	28	88	140	88	50	71	132	102	85	119

N.—Northern; C.—Central; S.—Southern; W.—Western; T.—Total, All Districts.

## No. 14. Area under Crop in New South Wales

Season ended March	Wheat (grain only)	Maize (grain only)	Oats (grain only)	Rice	Sugar-cane cut for Crushing	Hay (Excluding Grass Hay)	Potatoes	Total Area of All Crops
Acres								
1949	4,038,447	77,820	378,257	32,689	8,386	366,668	18,101	5,711,369
1950	4,011,744	72,872	374,729	37,540	8,517	328,734	23,369	5,670,364
1951	3,328,490	52,674	332,158	36,887	8,207	223,279	18,374	4,760,740
1952	2,753,317	54,216	596,527	35,589	8,354	307,996	19,034	4,704,272
1953	2,702,359	60,647	729,961	34,494	5,202	319,096	18,119	4,837,355
1954	3,356,888	58,556	506,758	38,859	7,787	383,655	16,513	5,425,341
1955	2,918,670	50,617	657,292	38,688	6,566	478,680	13,897	5,394,012
1956	2,937,281	55,678	902,192	41,182	7,522	383,497	13,270	5,456,196
1957	1,742,334	53,225	420,501	50,477	9,182	222,570	14,959	3,624,161
1958	2,257,398	57,513	715,489	46,774	10,734	481,699	17,326	4,915,676
1959	3,178,013	62,249	1,130,296	47,054	13,368	451,556	17,842	6,505,759

## No. 15. Production of Crops in New South Wales

Season ended March	Wheat	Maize	Oats	Rice	Sugar-cane	Hay (Excluding Grass Hay)	Potatoes	Total Value of All Crops to Producers
Thousand bushels								
1949	64,704	2,476	5,779	2,739	274	486	61	53,887
1950	81,939	2,408	7,016	3,783	331	482	69	75,479
1951	43,273	1,512	3,994	4,117	360	293	43	50,457
1952	39,689	1,410	9,395	3,047	321	416	52	65,968
1953	56,670	2,113	12,326	3,964	126	488	51	74,711
1954	63,681	1,738	8,533	4,069	263	544	58	76,325
1955	37,718	1,767	7,667	5,080	222	620	48	56,862
1956	57,149	1,868	16,537	4,725	285	568	44	66,836
1957	28,490	1,945	6,274	4,262	294	318	54	51,560
1958	10,603	2,237	3,944	5,658	303	446	67	49,404
1959	66,441	2,860	27,638	6,619	472	729	84	85,676p

## No. 16. Average Yield and Value per acre of Crops in New South Wales

Season ended March	Wheat	Maize	Oats	Rice	Sugar-cane	Hay (Excluding Grass Hay)	Potatoes	Average Value of All Crops per acre
Bushels								
1949	16.0	31.8	15.3	84	32.7	1.33	3.38	9 8 8
1950	20.4	33.0	18.7	101	38.8	1.46	2.97	13 6 3
1951	13.0	28.7	12.0	112	43.8	1.31	2.35	10 12 0
1952	14.4	25.8	15.7	86	38.5	1.35	2.73	14 0 6
1953	21.0	34.8	16.9	115	24.2	1.53	2.82	15 8 11
1954	19.0	29.7	16.8	105	33.8	1.42	3.52	14 1 4
1955	12.9	34.9	11.7	131	33.8	1.30	3.43	10 10 10
1956	19.5	33.6	18.3	115	37.8	1.48	3.33	12 5 0
1957	16.4	36.6	14.9	84	32.0	1.43	3.64	14 4 6
1958	4.7	38.9	5.5	121	28.2	0.93	3.85	10 1 0
1959	20.9	45.9	24.5	141	35.3	1.61	4.83	13 3 5p

## No. 17. Wheat Production in New South Wales

Season	Area under Wheat				Yield of Wheat and Wheaten Hay			
	For Grain	For Hay	Fed Off	Total	Wheat		Wheaten Hay	
					Total	per Acre	Total	per Acre
Acres								
1948-49	4,038,447	160,693	43,829	4,242,969	64,703,574	16.0	187,332	1.17
1949-50	4,011,744	122,295	39,818	4,173,857	81,939,000	20.4	162,935	1.33
1950-51	3,328,490	78,805	34,669	3,441,964	43,272,900	13.0	91,662	1.16
1951-52	2,753,317	120,756	56,097	2,930,170	39,689,283	14.4	157,506	1.30
1952-53	2,702,359	94,503	39,344	2,836,206	56,670,000	21.0	136,033	1.44
1953-54	3,356,888	145,689	45,047	3,547,624	63,681,000	19.0	185,899	1.28
1954-55	2,918,670	184,698	74,476	3,177,844	37,718,000	12.9	165,608	0.90
1955-56	2,937,281	84,487	42,436	3,064,204	57,149,000	19.5	127,886	1.51
1956-57	1,742,334	32,891	35,154	1,810,379	28,490,000	16.4	39,529	1.20
1957-58	2,257,398	209,198	81,077	2,547,673	10,603,000	4.7	143,161	0.68
1958-59	3,178,013	102,173	60,196	3,340,382	66,441,000	20.9	157,887	1.55

## No. 18. Livestock in New South Wales

At 31st March	Horses	Cattle			Sheep	Pigs
		Cows in Registered Dairies	Other	Total		
1949	357,764	970,585	2,282,167	3,252,752	50,404,000	375,212
1950	342,479	981,371	2,459,090	3,440,461	53,298,000	333,198
1951	328,428	963,634	2,739,214	3,702,848	54,111,000	316,833
1952	310,600	929,813	2,691,140	3,620,953	53,676,000	292,829
1953	298,367	969,258	2,679,475	3,648,733	57,461,000	298,690
1954	280,063	979,378	2,574,638	3,554,016	59,639,000	371,608
1955	258,153	973,615	2,487,077	3,460,692	59,200,000	375,019
1956	247,139	992,985	2,685,649	3,678,634	62,988,000	343,030
1957	235,505	986,639	2,924,188	3,910,827	67,670,000	386,789
1958	220,684	976,496	2,759,804	3,736,300	65,410,000	397,011
1959	214,445	968,299	2,695,177	3,663,476	67,936,000	348,730

## No. 19. Livestock Slaughtered for Human Consumption, N.S.W.

Year ended 30th June	Sheep and Lambs			Cattle				Pigs
	Sheep	Lambs	Total	Bullocks	Cows	Calves	Total	
Thousands								
1949	3,074	3,382	6,456	754	382	1,136	482	
1950	3,271	3,517	6,788	783	373	1,156	479	
1951	2,921	2,573	5,494	813	347	1,160	454	
1952	3,044	2,476	5,520	820	427	1,247	468	
1953	3,696	3,370	7,066	955	451	1,406	457	
1954	4,109	3,251	7,360	560	422	582	1,564	492
1955	4,014	3,304	7,318	517	453	548	1,518	615
1956	3,633	3,207	6,840	542	426	578	1,546	576
1957	3,687	3,264	6,951	606	386	599	1,591	541
1958	4,269	3,492	7,761	554	514	673	1,741	638
1959	4,652	4,209	8,861	648	627	619	1,894	604

## No. 20. Sheep: Lambing, Slaughtering, Exports, and Deaths in N.S.W.

Season	Lambs Marked	Slaughterings	Net Movement of Sheep to (—) and from (+) Other States	Approximate Number of Deaths on Holdings (Balance)	Sheep at 31st March
			Thousands		
1948-49	13,770	6,231	(+) 42	3,242	50,404
1949-50	13,280	6,676	(—) 828	2,882	53,298
1950-51	12,507	5,718	(—) 387	5,589	54,111
1951-52	11,147	5,407	(—) 544	5,631	53,676
1952-53	13,646	6,666	(—) 712	2,483	57,461
1953-54	14,469	7,042	(—) 1,489	3,760	59,639
1954-55	13,313	7,536	(—) 1,716	4,500	59,200
1955-56	15,770	7,043	(—) 880	4,059	62,988
1956-57	16,967	6,560	(—) 805	4,920	67,670
1957-58	14,273	7,512	(—) 1,468	7,553	65,410
1958-59	16,856	8,447	(—) 1,383	4,500	67,936

## No. 21. Breeds of Sheep, New South Wales

Breed	Sheep				Rams*	
	1939	1947	1956	1959	1956	1959
	Thousands					
Merino .. .. ..	40,862	31,067	49,994	52,467	601	599
Other Recognised Breeds—						
Corriedale .. ..	471	1,437	2,453	3,649	68	65
Polwarth .. ..	25	74	257	513	7	11
Border Leicester .. ..	125	413	332	1,164	58	97
Romney Marsh .. ..	45	119	120	250	12	16
Dorset Horn .. ..	21	57	277	354	43	63
Southdown .. ..	19	33	42	51	6	9
Other Breeds .. ..	13	7	10	56	2	5
Total, Other Recognised Breeds	719	2,140	3,491	6,037	196	266
Merino Comeback .. ..	2,484	2,060	3,792	3,408	1	1
Crossbred .. ..	4,812	7,838	5,711	6,024	4	1
Total, All Breeds .. ..	48,877	43,105	62,988	67,936	802	867

\* 1 year and over.

## No. 22. Wool Produced and Sheep and Lambs Shorn in New South Wales

Season	Weight of Wool Produced (as in the grease)					Sheep and Lambs Shorn	Average Clip (Greasy)*
	Shorn and Crutched	Dead	Fell-mongered	Exported on Skins	Total Production		
	Thousand lb.					Thousands	lb.
1948-49	422,591	442	21,236	18,939	463,208	50,127	8.4
1949-50	469,987	472	21,823	22,761	515,043	54,396	8.6
1950-51	455,910	994	19,551	15,675	492,130	54,547	8.4
1951-52	403,563	971	16,068	17,235	437,837	52,287	7.7
1952-53	516,510	467	16,652	22,923	556,552	59,015	8.8
1953-54	501,016	518	20,364	23,036	544,934	59,183	8.5
1954-55	499,898	488	17,834	22,757	540,977	59,616	8.4
1955-56	550,958	447	18,428	23,879	593,712	61,821	8.9
1956-57	617,875	559	18,255	23,654	660,343	70,121	8.8
1957-58	517,053	669	14,693	24,872	557,287	67,783	7.6
1958-59	633,485	443	21,581	28,675	684,184	70,855	8.9

\* Sheep and lambs; includes crutchings.

## No. 23. Wool: Sales at Auction, New South Wales

Excluding Albury Centre. Includes small quantities bought-in by Joint Organisation, but excludes sales from stocks held by Joint Organisation.

Period	Wool Sold					Amount Realised				
	Greasy and Scoured			Total		Sydney	New-castle	Goul-burn	Total	
	Sydney	New-castle	Goul-burn	Greasy	Scoured					
Thousand bales*									£ thousand	
Season: 1953-54	1,106.5	260.8	57.6	1,380.0	44.9	112,084	26,580	6,131	144,795	
1954-55	1,073.6	250.4	56.6	1,341.7	38.9	95,501	22,273	5,225	122,999	
1955-56†	1,149.7	272.9	66.3	1,455.4	33.5	89,166	21,147	5,386	115,699	
1956-57	1,281.7	334.5	71.7	1,656.9	31.0	125,437	33,460	7,444	166,341	
1957-58	1,039.3	325.0	57.5	1,399.6	22.2	78,250	25,184	4,259	107,693	
1958-59	1,227.7	366.4	60.5	1,622.5	32.1	75,752	21,791	3,447	100,990	
1958-59: July-Dec.	509.6	176.7	26.4	697.9	14.8	30,315	10,348	1,464	42,127	
1959-60: July-Dec.	613.5	192.5	28.0	818.9	15.1	44,787	13,783	2,166	60,736	
1958: July	2.4	...	...	0.2	2.2	152	...	...	152	
August	2.2	...	...	...	2.2	161	...	...	161	
September	155.3	45.1	...	197.7	2.7	9,253	2,745	...	11,998	
October	155.4	43.6	8.8	204.8	3.0	9,072	2,392	468	11,932	
November	130.1	47.0	8.0	182.0	3.1	7,876	2,779	441	11,096	
December	64.3	41.0	9.6	113.3	1.6	3,802	2,432	554	6,788	
1959: July	3.7	...	...	0.3	3.4	285	...	...	285	
August	21.1	...	...	18.4	2.7	1,592	...	...	1,592	
September	189.7	51.5	...	238.9	2.3	13,618	3,814	...	17,432	
October	171.0	45.8	9.0	223.0	2.8	12,368	3,180	654	16,202	
November	150.9	49.5	9.7	208.3	1.8	11,005	3,429	766	15,200	
December	77.2	45.7	9.2	130.1	2.0	5,919	3,360	745	10,024	

\* Scoured bales are not converted to greasy basis.

† Includes sales postponed from June to July, 1956.

## No. 24. Cattle in Registered Dairies and Beef Cattle in New South Wales

Classification	At 31st March					
	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959
In Registered Dairies—						
Cows in milk .. ..	568,593	577,449	595,776	596,012	585,933	581,805
Cows, dry .. ..	210,245	192,583	202,812	199,151	188,908	179,527
Heifers (1 year and over) .. ..	200,540	203,583	194,397	191,476	201,655	206,967
Total Cows (registered dairies)	979,378	973,615	992,985	986,639	976,496	968,299
Calves (under 1 year) .. ..	139,233	130,437	143,385	147,398	141,013	133,690
Bulls .. .. ..	24,557	23,840	23,944	23,468	23,045	21,666
Total Cattle in Registered Dairies	1,143,168	1,127,892	1,160,314	1,157,505	1,140,554	1,123,655
Other Milking Cows (dry and in milk) .. .. ..	143,028	136,742	177,501	176,705	167,013	158,071
Beef Cattle—						
Cows and Heifers (1 year and over) .. ..	1,066,757	1,039,003	1,107,498	1,274,690	1,204,668	1,202,770
Calves (under 1 year) .. ..	618,633	563,787	633,491	687,956	652,079	612,595
Bulls .. .. ..	47,917	41,299	43,732	49,883	50,002	48,034
Bullocks, Steers, etc .. ..	534,513	551,969	556,098	564,088	521,984	518,351
Total, Beef Cattle .. ..	2,267,820	2,196,058	2,340,819	2,576,617	2,428,733	2,381,750
Total, All Cattle .. .. ..	3,554,016	3,460,692	3,678,634	3,910,827	3,736,300	3,663,476

## No. 25. Production of Milk, Butter, Cheese, and Bacon in N.S.W.: Annually

Year ended 30th June	Total Milk (all purposes)	Butter*			Cheese			Bacon and Ham†		
		Factory	Farm	Total	Factory	Farm	Total	Factory	Farm	Total
	Mill. gal.	Thousand lb.								
1949	291.9	74,519	4,273	78,792	5,577	4	5,581	29,649	147	29,796
1950	311.6	82,469	4,537	87,006	6,333	1	6,334	28,879	139	29,018
1951	298.2	76,873	4,059	80,932	6,630	1	6,631	28,157	131	28,288
1952	241.2	52,501	4,042	56,543	4,469	1	4,470	27,911‡	122	28,033†
1953	317.4	83,076	4,004	87,080	7,084	1	7,085	29,509	154	29,630
1954	282.2	66,557	3,676	70,233	7,191	...	7,191	26,499	121	26,600
1955	315.7	86,661	3,225	89,886	5,617	1	5,618	26,218	145	26,363
1956	333.9	91,988	3,364	95,352	7,569	1	7,570	25,522	154	25,676
1957	306.3	75,770	3,300	79,070	9,003	1	9,004	23,079	154	23,196
1958	288.6	67,063	3,260	70,323	9,054	...	9,054	25,524	117	25,615
1959	330.0p	84,521	3,125	87,646	11,298	...	11,298	25,755p	91	25,896
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\* Including butter made from cream received from other States.

† Including bacon and ham made from interstate imports of green bacon.

‡ Pressed ham and canned bacon and ham are included on a "bone-in" weight basis in 1951-52 and later years, and on a "bone-out" or net weight basis in earlier years.

## No. 26. Butter and Cheese Produced in Factories in N.S.W.: Quarterly

Year	Butter					Cheese				
	Sept. Quarter	Dec. Quarter	Mar. Quarter	June Quarter	Year ended June	Sept. Quarter	Dec. Quarter	Mar. Quarter	June Quarter	Year ended June
Thousand lb.										
1953-54	11,580	19,763	23,903	11,311	66,557	1,436	2,959	1,962	834	7,191
1954-55	11,258	30,631	29,890	14,882	86,661	831	2,076	1,681	1,029	5,617
1955-56	14,260	32,385	31,303	14,040	91,988	1,180	2,441	2,602	1,346	7,569
1956-57	12,476	25,220	24,673	13,401	75,770	1,436	3,124	2,687	1,756	9,003
1957-58	11,041	19,786	21,806	14,430	67,063	1,630	2,799	2,640	1,985	9,054
1958-59	13,636	26,622	29,266	14,997	84,521	2,294	3,498	3,216	2,290	11,298
1959-60	16,122					1,908				

## No. 27. Prices of Wool, Wheat, and Butter, New South Wales

Period	Wool, Greasy		Wheat				Butter										
	Average Price at N.S.W. Auctions (a)	Average Price that would be realised if whole N.S.W. clip was sold at price level of current month	Net Return to Grower (b)	Export Price (c)		Home Price for Human Consumption (d)	Net Return to Farmer (e)	Export Price (f)	Wholesale Price (Sydney) (g)								
				Wheat sold under I.W.A. (h)	Wheat sold in excess of I.W.A. (h) Quota												
	s. d. per lb.			s. d. per bushel				s. d. per lb.									
Year: 1950-51	12	1.3		11	10.3	16	1	18	8.8	7	9.6	2	8.2	3	0.4	1	11.1
1951-52	6	4.5		12	11	16	4.3	20	9	10	0	3	6.1	3	3.1	2	7.2
1952-53	7	1.1		13	0.6	16	6	21	2	12	0.2	3	11.4	3	6.0	3	8.8
1953-54	6	9.8		11	1.4	16	7	16	7	14	2.5	3	11.5	3	7.7	3	8.8
1954-55	5	10.6		9	9.4	14	6	14	6	14	2.5	3	10.5	3	6.0	3	8.8
1955-56	5	1.6		9	10.8	13	4.4	13	4.4	13	6.5	3	8.9	3	5.6	4	0.2
1956-57	6	8.5		10	9.1	13	5.7	13	5.7	13	10.5	3	7.1	2	8.6	4	2.0
1957-58	5	2.8		11	2.2	14	6	14	6	17	5.4	3	7.7	2	2.5	4	2.0
1958-59	4	0.3		10	6p	13	10	13	10	14	8.0	3	8.4	2	8.9	4	4.0
1958: Apr.		4	5			14	6.38	14	6.38	18	4.5			1	9.9	4	2.0
May		4	4			14	7.25	14	7.25	18	4.5			1	9.8	4	2.0
June		4	5			14	7.88	14	7.88	17	5.5			1	10.3	4	2.0
July		4	5			14	6.5	14	6.5	16	4.0			1	11.9	4	4.0
Aug.		3	11(l)			14	6.38	14	6.38	16	4.0			2	1.6	4	4.0
Sept.		3	11(l)			14	5	14	5	16	4.0			2	1.6	4	4.0
Oct.		3	8.5			14	3	14	3	16	4.0			2	2.8	4	4.0
Nov.		3	9			14	1	14	1	16	4.0			2	5.9	4	4.0
Dec.		3	7.5			14	1	14	1	14	8.0			2	8.5	4	4.0
1959: Jan.		3	6.5			13	11.5	13	11.5	14	8.0			2	9.6	4	4.0
Feb.		3	9			13	9.25	13	9.25	14	8.0			2	9.5	4	4.0
Mar.		3	10			13	5.25	13	5.25	14	8.0			2	9.4	4	4.0
Apr.		4	7			13	5	13	5	14	8.0			2	9.5	4	4.0
May		4	7			13	5	13	5	14	8.0			2	11.1	4	4.0
June		4	5			13	4	13	4	14	8.0			3	2.5	4	4.0
July		4	6(l)			13	4	13	4	14	8.0			3	5.6	4	4.0
Aug.		4	11(l)			13	4	13	4	14	8.0			3	9.1	4	4.0
Sept.		4	9			13	3	13	3	14	8.0			3	10.9	4	4.0
Oct.		4	9			13	3	13	3	14	8.0			4	0.0	4	4.0
Nov.		4	8			13	3	13	3	14	8.0			4	1.3	4	4.0
Dec.		4	10p			13	3	13	3	15	0.0			4	1.3	4	4.0

(a) Excludes Albury (regarded as a Victorian selling centre). Weighted average, year ended June.

(b) Average return f.o.r. country rail siding, allowing for cost of bags and including governmental assistance to wheatgrowers. Pool season, generally year ended October.

(c) Basic selling prices of Australian Wheat Board for f.a.q. bulk wheat, f.o.b. Sydney. From 1953-54, for some destinations, where other exporting countries have a geographical freight advantage, the selling price is below this basic price. Annual quotations are the average of the twelve monthly prices, year ended July.

(d) Wholesale price for f.a.q. bulk wheat, f.o.r. Sydney. Annual quotations are the average of the twelve monthly prices, year ended November.

(e) Weighted average price per pound of commercial butter paid for cream supplied to N.S.W. factories, inclusive of Government subsidy, year ended June.

(f) Weighted average price for cl oicest butter, f.o.b. Australia, year ended June.

(g) Annual quotations are the average of the twelve monthly prices, year ended June.

(h) International Wheat Agreement.

(l) Nominal.

## No. 28. Mineral Production in New South Wales, 1958

Mineral	Quantity	Value	Mineral	Quantity	Value
Antimony Ore .. ton	1,114	£ 86,995	Iron Oxide .. ton	2,962	£ 12,213
Asbestos .. .. "	636	68,696	Lead Concentrates .. "	327,098	16,750,550
Bauxite .. .. .. "	1,664	1,481	Limestone† .. .. "	2,061,022	1,132,872
Clays .. .. .. "	2,136,355	864,510	Magnesite .. .. .. "	69,030	283,366
Coal .. .. .. "	15,850,948	39,979,194	Manganese Ore .. .. .. "	1,858	26,251
Construction Materials* .. "	...	6,398,247	Fyrite Concentrates .. .. .. "	36,730	179,691
Copper Ore and Concentrates .. ton	5,225	263,310	Rutile Concentrates .. .. .. "	46,491	2,456,225
Copper Precipitates .. .. "	99	13,922	Silver-lead Ore .. .. .. "	4,231	50,851
Diatomite .. .. .. "	3,100	12,901	Tin Concentrates .. .. .. "	334	190,332
Dolomite .. .. .. "	3,957	17,503	Tungsten Concentrates .. lb.	3,372	455
Felspar .. .. .. "	5,302	27,011	Zinc Concentrates .. ton	408,169	1,845,327
Gold Concentrates .. .. "	110	4,523	Zircon Concentrates .. .. "	32,542	249,523
Gold—Other forms .. oz.	5,436	99,777	Other Minerals .. .. .. "	...	450,066
Gypsum .. .. ton	90,664	170,543	Total .. .. .. ..	...	71,636,335

\* Includes building materials, road materials, and gravels.

† Includes sea shells.

## No. 29. Mine Production\* of Principal Metals and Sulphur, N.S.W.

Period	Cadmium	Copper	Gold	Lead	Rutile	Silver	Sulphur	Tin	Zinc
	Tons		Oz. fine	Tons	Tons TiO <sub>2</sub>	Thousand oz. fine	Tons		
Year: 1953	724.2	3,626.0	26,461	217,574	22,438	8,069	169,453	342	189,526
1954	825.5	3,182.5	31,374	230,392	24,512	8,680	174,312	272	202,646
1955	795.0	3,492.1	30,067	234,854	37,130	8,823	186,680	270	211,478
1956	861.8	4,288.6	28,821	238,319	69,877	9,290	187,087	269	229,126
1957	924.4	4,381.8	31,043	266,928	96,674	9,969	207,604	211	241,509
1958	812.3	4,023.4	18,709	246,896	56,524	8,992	197,736	239	211,667
1958: Jan.-Nov.	751.4	3,736.2	17,621	227,720	44,247‡	8,317	182,712	181‡	195,640
1959: Jan.-Nov.	745.0	3,512.5	12,350	229,452	45,916‡	8,001	174,982	128‡	188,262
1958: March	72.3	366.9	1,760	21,728	14,908†	819	17,252	54†	18,797
April	63.4	319.0	1,582	18,817		705	14,892		16,254
May	73.3	380.0	2,188	22,527		814	17,993		18,821
June	69.3	348.0	1,254	21,003	15,129†	728	16,715	57†	17,769
July	78.8	398.5	1,453	24,633		902	19,199		20,514
August	73.1	349.1	1,291	21,127		787	17,555		18,600
September	79.1	363.8	1,424	24,660	14,210†	924	19,646	70†	21,540
October	68.2	349.5	1,346	20,857		786	16,737		17,856
November	62.2	294.3	1,148	18,971		666	15,475		16,479
1959: March	58.0	306.6	1,130	18,151	13,649†	587	14,188	37†	14,922
April	75.2	354.5	1,236	23,755		846	17,465		18,965
May	76.0	363.0	1,323	23,492		817	18,053		19,155
June	62.2	320.2	1,115	19,817	15,939†	682	15,250	51†	15,766
July	84.2	351.8	1,233	25,768		899	19,021		20,578
August	62.7	297.0	1,082	19,816		673	15,333		16,192
September	72.0	292.7	1,148	20,144	16,328†	744	16,220	40†	17,846
October	60.2	248.4	891	17,607		616	13,680		15,217
November	86.2	360.7	1,255	26,569		910	19,608		21,698

\* These are gross contents of metallic minerals produced, as determined by assay, and make no allowance for losses in smelting and refining. The quantities shown are therefore, in general, greater than those actually recoverable.

† Production for three months ending with this month.

‡ Production for nine months ended September.

## No. 30. Metal Prices, London and Australia

Period*	London Prices†				Australian Prices‡			
	Copper (Electro-lytic)	Lead	Zinc (Virgin)	Tin	Copper (Electro-lytic)	Lead	Zinc (Electro-lytic)	Tin
	£stg. per ton				£A per ton			
Year: 1955	351.4	105.9	90.7	740	436.2	127.3	114.3	951
1956	328.9	116.3	97.8	788	436.4	139.6	122.5	1,020
1957	219.5	96.7	81.6	755	340.9	116.3	103.5	992
1958	197.4	72.8	65.9	735	308.5	86.8	90.8	995
1959	237.8	70.8	82.1	785	312.3	100.0	105.4	1,058
1958: April	175.6	72.9	62.4	731	330.0	86.3	90.0	979
May	178.8	72.1	61.9	731	309.5	85.6	90.0	990
June	194.6	73.3	64.2	730	285.0	87.1	90.0	995
July	199.8	71.5	63.6	731	285.0	85.4	90.0	999
August	205.8	70.4	63.8	730	287.4	84.2	90.0	992
September	209.3	70.5	65.0	718	290.0	84.2	90.0	992
October	236.3	74.0	70.5	741	303.1	87.9	90.6	998
November	243.0	75.6	75.3	758	327.2	89.7	94.0	1,030
December	221.0	72.2	74.3	756	294.4	89.7	94.7	1,035
1959: April	240.0	69.0	72.7	782	320.1	100.0	100.0	1,064
May	236.2	70.8	77.4	784	309.3	100.0	100.0	1,059
June	230.0	69.7	78.4	788	310.2	100.0	100.0	1,066
July	220.9	70.3	80.5	792	292.2	100.0	101.5	1,064
August	232.8	72.2	85.3	793	304.1	100.0	106.8	1,064
September	230.4	70.7	86.1	793	306.3	100.0	108.7	1,062
October	241.9	70.6	91.4	794	307.6	100.0	112.8	1,057
November	250.6	72.1	94.9	795	337.4	100.0	117.9	1,054
December	255.4	72.7	95.2	789	328.0	100.0	117.7	1,043

\* Average for year or month shown.

† Spot prices; averages of buyers' and sellers' quotes.

‡ Home consumption selling prices. The bases are—copper: ex works, Port Kembla; lead: f.o.b. Port Pirie; zinc: f.o.b. Risdon; tin: ex works, Sydney. The official price of gold has been £15 12s. 6d. per oz. fine since May, 1954.

## No. 31. Coal Production in New South Wales

Period	Northern District			Southern District			Western District			Total, N.S.W.		
	Under-ground	Open Cut	Total	Under-ground	Open Cut	Total	Under-ground	Open Cut	Total	Under-ground	Open Cut	Total
Thousand tons												
Year: 1951	7,314	1,244	8,558	2,505	3	2,508	1,405	1,042	2,447	11,224	2,289	13,513
1952	8,228	1,399	9,627	2,776	...	2,776	1,487	1,132	2,619	12,491	2,531	15,022
1953	7,956	1,086	9,042	3,009	...	3,009	1,487	636	2,123	12,452	1,722	14,174
1954	8,627	920	9,547	3,366	...	3,366	1,710	460	2,170	13,703	1,380	15,083
1955	8,484	806	9,290	3,594	...	3,594	1,757	95	1,852	13,835	901	14,736
1956	8,360	810	9,170	3,982	...	3,982	1,658	...	1,658	14,000	810	14,810
1957	8,480	728	9,208	4,556	...	4,556	1,626	...	1,626	14,662	728	15,390
1958	8,864	720	9,584	4,693	...	4,693	1,574	...	1,574	15,131	720	15,851
1956: June Qr.	2,205	256	2,461	995	...	995	433	...	433	3,633	256	3,889
Sept. Qr.	2,378	233	2,611	1,148	...	1,148	460	...	460	3,986	233	4,219
Dec. Qr.	2,200	183	2,383	1,060	...	1,060	418	...	418	3,678	183	3,861
1957: Mar. Qr.	1,821	144	1,965	1,016	...	1,016	365	...	365	3,202	144	3,346
June Qr.	2,055	203	2,258	1,116	...	1,116	409	...	409	3,580	203	3,783
Sept. Qr.	2,352	208	2,560	1,320	...	1,320	458	...	458	4,130	208	4,338
Dec. Qr.	2,252	173	2,425	1,104	...	1,104	394	...	394	3,750	173	3,923
1958: Mar. Qr.	1,888	199	2,087	1,097	...	1,097	346	...	346	3,331	199	3,530
June Qr.	2,250	209	2,459	1,120	...	1,120	391	...	391	3,761	209	3,970
Sept. Qr.	2,484	177	2,661	1,303	...	1,303	443	...	443	4,230	177	4,407
Dec. Qr.	2,242	135	2,377	1,173	...	1,173	394	...	394	3,809	135	3,944
1959: Mar. Qr.	1,962	73	2,035	1,040	...	1,040	363	...	363	3,365	73	3,438
June Qr.	2,309	79	2,388	1,238	...	1,238	410	...	410	3,957	79	4,036
Sept. Qr.	2,437	165	2,602	1,369	...	1,369	426	...	426	4,232	165	4,397

## No. 32. Net Value of Production\* by Primary and Manufacturing Industries, N.S.W.

Year	Rural Industries				Forestry, Fisheries and Trapping	Mines and Quarries †	Total, Primary Industries	Manufacturing	Total, Recorded Industries
	Pastoral ‡	Agricultural	Dairying and Farmyard	Total, Rural Industries					
£ thousand									
1947-48	73,757	79,308	25,692	178,757	9,284	22,285	210,326	218,611	428,937
1948-49	95,640	46,205	28,991	170,836	10,623	28,198	209,657	251,199	460,856
1949-50	140,027	69,078	33,943	243,048	10,293	30,191	283,532	283,201	566,733
1950-51	302,642	44,492	38,852	385,986	12,996	39,634	438,616	366,108	804,724
1951-52	154,386	58,333	44,508	257,227	16,195	59,385	332,807	443,391	776,198
1952-53	206,872	66,623	60,642	334,137	17,547	63,234	414,918	457,742	872,660
1953-54	202,439	68,342	58,985	329,766	17,144	58,060	404,970	520,043	925,013
1954-55	175,446	48,711	58,323	282,480	18,160	63,996	364,636	583,128	947,764
1955-56	163,287	63,646	63,000	289,933	19,695	69,314	378,942	644,086	1,023,028
1956-57	231,674	48,425	57,852	337,951	21,118	72,143	431,212	706,799	1,138,011
1957-58	157,679	44,754	55,511	257,944	19,811	66,207	343,962	757,862	1,101,824

\* Represents gross value at place of production less value of goods used in the process of production, e.g., fodder, seed, and fertilizer used on farms, and raw materials and fuel in factories.

† Calendar years 1948 to 1957.

‡ Excludes profits realised under the war-time plan for disposal of the 1939-40 to 1945-46 wool clips. Six distributions of such profits have been made, viz., £9,423,000 in 1949-50, £9,423,000 in 1951-52, £6,027,000 in 1952-53, £6,241,000 in 1953-54, £4,891,000 in 1954-55, and £203,400 in 1956-57.

## No. 33. Factories in New South Wales: Employment and Earnings

Year ended 30th June	Establishments	Average Number Employed*			Salaries and Wages Paid†		
		Males	Females	Persons	To Males	To Females	Total
					£ thous.	£ thous.	£ thous.
1952	18,144	304,808	101,186	405,994	220,885	42,767	263,652
1953	19,251	291,704	88,509	380,213	224,745	41,165	265,910
1954	20,199	305,040	97,555	402,595	245,749	47,837	293,586
1955	20,837	316,673	103,137	419,810	274,467	52,148	326,615
1956	21,602	327,106	105,975	433,081	302,880	56,143	359,023
1957	21,838	329,386	106,983	436,369	318,612	59,720	378,332
1958	22,270	337,211	108,591	445,802	334,245	62,447	396,692
1959	22,684	340,737	108,821	449,558	348,202	64,712	412,914

\* Average during whole year, including working proprietors.

† Excludes drawings by working proprietors.

## No. 34. Factories in New South Wales: Plant and Equipment, Production

Year ended 30th June	Horse-power of Engines Installed	Value of Premises and Equipment			Value of Materials Used	Value of Fuel and Power Used	Value of Output	Value of Production*
		Land and Buildings	Plant and Equipment	Total				
		H.P.	£ thousand					
1952	3,155,719	153,662	166,437	320,099	647,291	48,664	1,139,346	443,391
1953	3,534,589	176,576	207,733	384,309	627,954	53,630	1,139,326	457,742
1954	3,931,236	196,724	233,022	429,746	721,311	58,447	1,299,801	520,043
1955	4,294,999	221,519	258,597	480,116	802,617	60,925	1,446,670	583,128
1956	4,570,796	260,267	298,913	559,180	884,582	66,469	1,595,137	644,086
1957	4,931,778	303,981	363,310	667,291	948,393	71,445	1,726,637	706,799
1958	5,172,227	350,169	415,838	766,007	1,016,928	73,452	1,848,242	757,862
1959	5,758,459	400,642	459,718	860,360	1,070,862	76,275	1,950,452	803,315

\* The value added to raw materials by the process of manufacture; calculated by deducting, from the value of output at the factory, the value of the raw materials, containers, packing, power, fuel and light used, tools replaced, and materials used in repairs to plant (but not depreciation charges).

## No. 35. Factories in N.S.W.: Employment and Production by Classes of Industry

Class of Industry	Persons Employed*			Value of Production†		
	Year ended 30th June			Year ended 30th June		
	1957	1958	1959	1957	1958	1959
£ thousand						
Treatment of Non-metalliferous Mine and Quarry Products	7,865	8,294	8,342	15,329	16,826	17,522
Bricks, Pottery and Glass, etc.	11,313	11,623	11,979	16,844	17,701	19,955
Chemicals, Dyes, Explosives, Paint, Oil and Grease	20,566	21,444	21,994	62,742	68,176	73,588
Industrial Metals, Machines, Implements, and Conveyances	201,216	209,583	212,388	312,599	341,024	359,422
Precious Metals, Jewellery, Plate	2,437	2,452	2,346	3,182	3,375	3,271
Textiles and Textile Goods (not dress)	23,233	22,178	21,559	30,007	30,348	31,056
Skins and Leather (not clothing or footwear)	5,414	5,278	5,362	6,592	6,595	7,303
Clothing	43,924	43,731	43,468	43,257	44,504	45,743
Food, Drink, and Tobacco	38,801	38,741	38,499	74,167	77,260	82,297
Woodworking and Basketware	20,051	19,850	20,063	28,488	29,760	31,567
Furniture, Bedding, etc.	8,191	8,913	9,009	10,770	12,118	12,849
Paper, Stationery, Printing, Bookbinding, etc.	27,569	28,158	28,861	45,687	49,444	53,979
Rubber	7,854	7,956	7,828	10,864	11,334	11,379
Musical Instruments‡	1,494	688	648	3,215	1,537	1,593
Miscellaneous	9,510	9,962	10,355	14,236	15,619	17,731
Heat, Light, and Power	6,931	6,951	6,857	28,820	32,241	34,060
Total	436,369	445,802	449,558	706,799	757,862	803,315

\* Average during whole year, including working proprietors.

† See note \* to Table 34.

‡ Certain factories formerly in this Class were re-classified in 1957-58 to the Class "Industrial Metals, etc."

## No. 36. Factories in Divisions of N.S.W.: Number of Establishments and Employees

Statistical Division	Establishments				Persons Employed*			
	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59
Cumberland—								
Metropolis	13,760	13,844	14,101	14,405	326,125	327,721	333,783	336,143
Balance	288	290	294	299	5,351	5,495	6,089	6,478
North Coast	1,041	1,060	1,074	1,093	8,524	8,443	8,437	8,582
Hunter and Manning—								
Newcastle	724	753	774	816	30,165	31,189	31,945	32,541
Balance	1,120	1,202	1,244	1,270	13,977	14,114	14,183	14,010
South Coast—								
Wollongong-Port Kembla	393	402	414	433	18,675	19,777	21,801	23,260
Balance	439	451	474	468	3,417	3,594	3,783	3,733
Northern Tableland	293	301	293	288	1,849	1,822	1,726	1,625
Central Tableland	759	754	768	761	9,429	8,787	8,461	8,471
Southern Tableland	318	318	329	329	2,684	2,666	2,685	2,750
North Western Slope	348	349	360	372	2,331	2,354	2,416	2,466
Central Western Slope	391	395	395	384	2,308	2,325	2,229	2,115
South Western Slope	724	725	739	750	6,013	5,977	5,664	5,557
North Central Plain	180	177	177	177	1,020	1,044	1,000	923
Central Plain	148	144	149	142	552	541	566	543
Riverina	473	470	484	499	3,414	3,166	3,161	3,126
Western Division	203	203	201	198	1,302	1,306	1,280	1,163
Total	21,602	21,838	22,270	22,684	437,136	440,321	449,209	453,486

\* Average weekly during period of operation, including working proprietors.

## No. 37. Factories in N.S.W.: Principal Articles Manufactured

(Figures for 1958-59 are preliminary)

Article	Quantity			Value at Factory		
	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59	£'000	£'000	£'000
<b>Food and Drink—</b>						
Aerated Waters .....	Thous. gal.	24,035	28,045	25,272	4,845	6,109
Bacon and Ham*† .....	Thous. lb.	23,080	25,524	25,755	n.a.	n.a.
Beer and Stout .....	Thous. gal.	91,930	94,199	92,991	14,700	15,602
Biscuits (excluding ice cream cones) .....	Thous. lb.	75,879	75,086	77,018	7,840	8,203
Bread (2 lb. loaves) .....	Thous.	284,263	287,684	n.y.a.	17,081	19,237
Butter* .....	Thous. lb.	75,769	67,063	84,521	13,277‡	11,839‡
Cakes, Pastry, Pies, Puddings, etc. .....	Thous. lb.	...	...	...	9,157	10,471
Cheese* .....	Thous. lb.	9,003	9,054	11,298	876‡	985‡
Confectionery (excluding Coverture) .....	Thous. lb.	62,800	59,310	61,994	11,375	10,679
Cordials, Syrups and Fruit Juices .....	Thous. gal.	1,987	2,209	n.y.a.	1,629	1,743
Flour .....	Tons (2,000 lb.)	598,743	396,644	440,390	19,667	15,807
Ice Cream .....	Thous. gal.	6,444	7,020	6,503	3,034	3,395
Jams and Preserves—						
Jams .....	Thous. lb.	22,639	22,484	21,199	1,603	1,664
Preserved Fruit .....	Thous. lb.	38,539	42,874	37,877	2,908	3,177
Preserved Vegetables .....	Thous. lb.	37,082	31,557	27,463	3,315	3,321
Margarine: Table .....	Thous. lb.	21,766	19,934	21,569	2,408	2,188
Other .....	Thous. lb.	21,216	22,352	28,260	1,516	1,745
Meat, Tinned .....	Thous. lb.	19,264	19,758	18,028	2,571	2,573
Milk: Condensed and Concentrated .....	Thous. lb.	24,226	27,067	20,674	729	714
Powdered .....	Thous. lb.	49,230	43,662	56,881	4,943	4,795
Sauces .....	Thous. pints	12,052	11,638	n.y.a.	1,708	1,694
Sugar: Icing .....	Thous. lb.	28,462	29,880	n.y.a.	n.a.	n.a.
Raw .....	Tons	35,918	36,854	n.y.a.	n.a.	n.a.
<b>Building Materials—</b>						
Bricks, Clay (excluding Brickettes) .....	Thous.	355,233	375,873	418,698	5,354	6,022
Cement, Portland Grey .....	Tons	849,803	948,299	971,248	6,846	7,705
Concrete, Ready Mixed .....	Thous. cu. yd.	732	811	n.y.a.	3,802	4,452
Fibrous Plaster Sheets .....	Thous. sq. yds.	5,183	6,148	6,188	1,940	2,191
Paint and Enamels (not Water) (Ready Mixed) .....	Thous. gal.	4,990	5,202	5,480	10,084	10,496
Paints, Water (Ready Mixed) .....	Thous. gal.	n.a.	859	1,102	n.a.	1,576
Plywood .....	Thous. sq. ft. (1/6 in. basis)	41,921	45,647	n.y.a.	2,197	2,555
Tiles, Roofing (Terra Cotta and Cement) .....	Thous.	37,812	40,475	43,127	1,666	1,799
Timber, Sawn Native—						
Pines .....	Thous. s. ft.	64,044	66,309	68,895	n.a.	n.a.
Brushwoods and Scrubwoods .....	Thous. s. ft.	23,425	23,246	27,568	n.a.	n.a.
Forest Hardwoods ¶ .....	Thous. s. ft.	278,078	270,182	277,325	n.a.	n.a.
<b>Fuel and Power—</b>						
Coke (Gasworks) .....	Tons	456,767	428,801	n.y.a.	3,090	2,886
Electricity .....	Million kWh.	7,008	7,595	8,285	41,622	43,074
Gas .....	Thous. therms	116,687	115,372	115,589	9,351	9,781
Motor Spirit .....	Thous. gal.	307,808	366,063	n.y.a.	21,672	24,776

\* Production in factories only.

† "Bone-in" weight basis. Includes bacon and ham made from interstate imports of green bacon.

‡ Excludes government subsidy.

¶ Includes sawn sleepers.

No. 37. Factories in N.S.W.: Principal Articles Manufactured (continued)  
(Figures for 1958-59 are preliminary)

Article	No.	Quantity			Value at Factory		
		1956-57	1957-58	1958-59	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59
<b>Textiles and Clothing—</b>							
Blankets .. . . . .	321,466	418,165	352,214	849	896	n.y.a.	
Boots, Shoes and Sandals (excluding Rubber) .. . . . .	7,510	7,651	8,353	13,087	13,379	n.y.a.	
Buttons (All Types) .. . . . .	...	...	...	664	648	n.y.a.	
Cardigans, Sweaters, etc.:—							
Men's, Youths', Boys' .. . . . .	Doz. 102,888	90,309	84,352	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	
Women's, Maids', Girls' .. . . . .	Doz. 155,086	160,239	149,720	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	
Cloth, Woven*:-							
Wool: Woollen .. . . . .	Thous. sq. yds. 2,101	2,277	1,770	1,553	1,572	n.y.a.	
Worsted .. . . . .	Thous. sq. yds. 7,452	6,851	6,233	8,371	7,558	n.y.a.	
Cotton .. . . . .	Thous. sq. yds. 18,064	17,012	14,984	6,579	6,187	n.y.a.	
Rayon and Synthetic Fibres .. . . . .	Thous. sq. yds. 11,517	9,375	7,646	3,045	2,881	n.y.a.	
Corsets .. . . . .	Doz. 50,258	60,040	57,840	1,393	1,669	n.y.a.	
Gloves, Work† .. . . . .	Doz. pairs 179,135	185,012	198,861	693	725	n.y.a.	
Handkerchiefs .. . . . .	Thous. doz. 2,292	2,449	n.y.a.	n.a.	n.a.		
Hats and Caps .. . . . .	Thous. 4,075	3,741	n.y.a.	n.a.	n.a.		
Nightwear: Men's, Youths', Boys' .. . . . .	Doz. 164,470	187,676	208,277	n.a.	n.a.		
Women's, Maids', Girls' .. . . . .	Doz. 196,430	227,767	242,185	n.a.	n.a.		
Shirts, Men's, Youths', Boys' .. . . . .	Doz. 572,737	651,477	702,633	n.a.	n.a.		
Socks and Stockings .. . . . .	Thous. doz. pairs 1,059	1,028	1,014	3,739	3,607	n.y.a.	
Underwear: Men's, Youths', Boys' .. . . . .	Thous. doz. 898	1,021	1,015	n.a.	n.a.		
Women's, Maids', Girls' .. . . . .	Thous. doz. 1,507	1,441	1,550	n.a.	n.a.		
Wool, Scoured .. . . . .	Thous. lb. 42,793	34,533	36,531	n.a.	n.a.		
Wool Tops .. . . . .	Thous. lb. 9,792	7,318	8,935	n.a.	n.a.		
Yarn, Spun*:-							
Wool: Woollen .. . . . .	Thous. lb. 3,885	4,319	4,334	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	
Worsted .. . . . .	Thous. lb. 6,769	5,719	5,201	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	
Cotton .. . . . .	Thous. lb. 20,394	21,074	19,550	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	
Rayon and Synthetic Fibres .. . . . .	Thous. lb. 849	1,356	1,819	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	
<b>Metal Manufactures—</b>							
Bath Heaters (All Types) .. . . . .	No. 39,335	37,580	34,355	461	452	n.y.a.	
Caravans, Trailers, etc. .. . . . .	No. 2,451	2,389	2,791	943	1,033	n.y.a.	
Fabricated Structural Steel .. . . . .	Tons 127,792	117,331	n.y.a.	16,014	14,620	n.y.a.	
Hot Water Systems, Storage (All Types) .. . . . .	No. 26,261	26,797	31,220	998	1,038	n.y.a.	
Iron and Steel‡: Pig Iron .. . . . .	Thous. tons 1,852	2,030	2,094	n.a.	n.a.		
Steel Ingots .. . . . .	Thous. tons 2,766	3,026	3,225	n.a.	n.a.		
Direct Steel Castings .. . . . .	Tons 20,643	21,990	n.y.a.	n.a.	n.a.		
Motor Bodies† .. . . . .	No. 53,921	75,859	72,705	n.a.	n.a.		
Motors, Electric .. . . . .	Thous. 688	797	892	n.a.	n.a.		
Pipes Ferrous (excluding Conduit and Light Sheet Metal) .. . . . .	Tons 248,999	280,859	n.y.a.	17,008	19,389	n.y.a.	
Radio Sets and Radiograms .. . . . .	No. 243,108	230,714	230,738	5,682	6,028	n.y.a.	
Refrigerators, Household .. . . . .	No. 109,597	94,274	110,310	10,605	9,265	n.y.a.	
Regulating, Starting Controlling Apparatus (Electric) .. . . . .				6,711	7,798	n.y.a.	
Sink Heaters (All Types) .. . . . .	No. 8,796	7,859	8,682	101	89	n.y.a.	
Sinks (All Types) .. . . . .	No. 38,455	39,443	47,831	583	582	n.y.a.	
Stoves, Cooking, Electric (Domestic)§ .. . . . .	No. 48,168	48,101	53,963	2,252	2,568	n.y.a.	
Telegraph and Telephone Equipment .. . . . .				5,845	6,883	n.y.a.	
Television Sets .. . . . .	No. 76,989	179,988	217,205	10,233	23,816	n.y.a.	
Washing Machines, Electric (Domestic) .. . . . .	No. 68,417	77,139	80,953	4,013	4,699	n.y.a.	
<b>Miscellaneous—</b>							
Acid, Sulphuric .. . . . .	Tons 169,387	180,428	171,961	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	
Batteries, Wet Cell, S.L.I. .. . . . .	Thous. n.a.	808	797	n.a.	3,747	n.y.a.	
Bottle Tops and Closures (Metal and Plastic) .. . . . .				1,367	1,542	n.y.a.	
Brushes, Paint and Varnishes .. . . . .	Gross 12,925	17,846	n.y.a.	619	591	n.y.a.	
Containers:-							
Metal Cans .. . . . .				8,704	9,406	n.y.	
Paperboard Boxes (excl. Butter Boxes) .. . . . .				11,458	12,878	n.y.a.	
Paper Bags (excl. Multiwall Types) .. . . . .				1,696	1,781	n.y.a.	
Textile Bags .. . . . .	Thous. 15,375	11,387	n.y.a.	1,144	866	n.y.a.	
Wooden Boxes .. . . . .	Thous. 5,126	6,379	n.y.a.	838	1,034	n.y.a.	
Furniture: Metal .. . . . .				5,775	6,216	n.y.a.	
Wood .. . . . .				10,857	12,817	n.y.a.	
Handbags, Ladies' .. . . . .	Thous. 1,156	1,375	n.y.a.	1,642	1,876	n.y.a.	
Ice .. . . . .	Tons 202,393	199,560	n.y.a.	668	670	n.y.a.	
Ink, Printing and Lithographic .. . . . .	Thous. lb. 12,360	13,670	n.y.a.	1,340	1,544	n.y.a.	
Leather (excluding Splits):—							
Sold by Weight .. . . . .	Thous. lb. 8,893	7,902	n.y.a.	1,423	1,287	n.y.a.	
Sold by Area .. . . . .	Thous. sq. ft. 35,222	35,999	n.y.a.	5,085	5,642	n.y.a.	
Mattresses (Inner Spring) .. . . . .	No. 214,538	241,381	241,705	1,856	1,929	n.y.a.	
Soap (All Types) .. . . . .	Tons 58,162	62,217	55,526	8,739	9,934	n.y.a.	
Suitcases and Similar Bags .. . . . .	No. 489,327	497,361	n.y.a.	825	847	n.y.a.	
Sulphate of Ammonia .. . . . .	Tons 48,823	43,599	42,318	1,530	1,408	n.y.a.	
Synthetic Detergents (All Types) .. . . . .	Tons 10,708	12,779	13,652	1,891	2,370	n.y.a.	
Tyres: New .. . . . .	Thous. 1,881	1,902	n.y.a.	13,875	13,514	n.y.a.	
Retreaded and Recapped .. . . . .	Thous. 820	811	n.y.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.y.a.	

\* Mixtures are included with the predominant fibre.

† Excludes rubber gloves.

‡ Year ended 31st May.

§ Excludes grill boilers.

¶ Includes body portion of mono-constructed vehicles, but excludes cabins and conversions.

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 Figures for July 1958 and later periods are subject to revision

**FOOD AND DRINK**

Period	Processed Milk Products				Bacon and Ham *†	Jam, Conserve, Fruit Spreads, etc.	Fruit, Canned or Bottled	Vegetables, Canned or Bottled ‡					
	Butter *	Cheese *	Other										
			Liquid	Powder									
Thousand lb.													
Year: 1953-54	66,557	7,191	24,639	39,683	26,499	23,800	52,592	19,603					
1954-55	86,661	5,617	16,316	43,765	26,218	22,377	46,867	22,967					
1955-56	91,988	7,569	17,959	53,346	25,523	22,970	41,122	31,124					
1956-57	75,769	9,003	24,226	49,230†	23,080	22,639	38,539	37,082					
1957-58	67,063	9,054	27,067	43,662	25,524	22,484	42,874	31,557					
1958-59	84,521	11,298	20,674†	56,881	25,755	21,199	37,877†	27,463†					
1958: March	7,827	970	3,371	4,113	2,040	2,174	21,823	3,855					
April	6,015	783	2,920	3,203	2,162	1,701	2,390	3,008					
May	4,646	622	1,666	3,045	2,243	2,442	1,027	1,640					
June	3,768	579	1,892	3,094	1,978	1,442	1,057	1,809					
July	3,512	653	1,633	3,428	2,079	1,817	712†	2,083					
August	4,050	711	1,589	3,654	1,909	2,114	895†	1,690					
September	6,073	930	2,263	4,893	2,215	1,098	1,020†	1,850†					
October	8,518	1,206	3,750	6,050	2,345	1,014	718†	2,841†					
November	8,247	1,190	2,975	5,842	2,535	928	105	6,605					
December	9,857	1,102	1,592	6,529	3,492	1,182	1,294	2,434					
1959: January	11,535	1,152	960	6,404	1,678	3,915	7,350	1,297					
February	9,408	997	1,061	5,389	1,787	1,779	3,789	2,033					
March	8,324	1,067	1,337	4,756	2,029	2,211	17,521	1,843					
April	6,242	931	1,265	3,419	1,978	2,236	3,210	1,390					
May	4,925	808	907†	3,232	1,877	1,747	846†	1,569					
June	3,830	551	1,342	3,285	1,831	1,158	417	1,828					
July	3,809	517	1,049	3,349	1,884	2,333	214	1,657					
August	4,962	569	1,618	4,086	1,962	1,994	562	2,235					
September	7,351	822	1,932	4,448	2,198	952	742	1,963					
October	10,435	1,063	2,160	6,687	2,195	1,199	744	3,624					
November	12,229	1,145	2,670	7,301	2,648	946	613	4,788					
Period	Flour (Wheaten)	Bran (Wheaten)	Pollard (Wheaten)	Biscuits †	Confectionery			Beer and Stout					
					Chocolate (excl. Coverture)	Other							
Tons (2,000 lb.)													
Thousand lb.													
Year: 1953-54	581,547	91,374	135,115	73,543	21,803	33,963	5,525	79,943					
1954-55	561,233	96,036	126,605	73,090	19,890	35,981	6,050	88,081					
1955-56	549,234	95,690	131,139	77,062	21,604	36,056	6,247	93,297					
1956-57	598,743	101,809	143,277	75,879	23,481	39,319	6,444	91,930					
1957-58	396,644	65,453	92,069	75,086	19,959	39,351	7,020	94,199					
1958-59	440,390	65,950	94,104	77,018	21,173†	40,821	6,503	92,991					
1958: March	25,628	4,063	6,045	5,719	1,697	3,059	657	8,323					
April	24,177	3,808	5,618	5,418	1,816	3,054	560	7,532					
May	28,768	4,565	6,588	7,178	2,088	3,397	449	7,340					
June	26,624	4,121	6,128	6,033	1,888	3,085	297	6,387					
July	27,573	3,595	5,907	6,507	2,333	3,843	281	6,777					
August	29,492	3,816	6,236	7,528	2,001	3,464	433	6,742					
September	30,697	4,183	6,447	6,329	1,797	3,715	524	7,996					
October	32,300	4,528	6,844	7,398	1,799	3,611	625	9,213					
November	32,354	4,777	7,159	6,200	1,296	3,337	656	9,145					
December	32,155	4,737	6,867	5,716	1,129	3,059	799	9,902					
1959: January	41,527	6,600	8,970	5,545	850	2,539	833	7,626					
February	37,947	6,090	8,108	6,074	1,525	3,498	668	7,002					
March	36,904	5,696	7,893	6,109	1,586†	3,517	563	7,658					
April	40,681	6,519	8,419	6,202	2,027	3,501	488	7,860					
May	45,397	7,195	9,659	7,155	2,251	3,300	361	6,648					
June	53,363	8,214	11,595	6,255	2,579	3,437	272	6,522					
July	49,890	7,491	11,044	7,917	2,585	3,742	340	6,920					
August	48,769	7,594	10,542	6,294	2,107	3,540	410	6,859					
September	50,069	7,934	10,622	6,101	1,994	3,916	542	8,222					
October	50,643	8,284	11,010	7,330	1,749	4,165	509	8,610					
November	52,591	8,318	11,496	6,557	1,742	4,323	627	8,226					

\* Production in factories only.

† "Bone-in" weight basis.

‡ From July, 1959, includes pickled vegetables (other than "pickles" or chutney).

† Excluding ice cream cones.

## No. 38. Factory Products, New South Wales (continued)

## METALS, COAL, AND ENERGY

Period	Coal*	Pig Iron	Ingot Steel	Gas (Town)	Electricity		
					Hydro	Thermal	Total
	Thousand tons		Thousand thermt†	Million kWh.			
Year: 1953-54	15,011	1,621	2,086	107,307	179	5,271	5,450
1954-55	14,660	1,669	2,162	110,152	154	5,797	5,951
1955-56	14,630	1,750	2,317	113,362	453	6,052	6,505
1956-57	15,209	1,852	2,766	116,687	408	6,600	7,008
1957-58	15,762	2,030	3,026	115,372	402	7,193	7,595
1958-59	15,824	2,094	3,225	115,589	650	7,635	8,285
1958: March	1,312	175	259	8,830	37	599	636
April	1,276	166	248	8,687	28	591	619
May	1,361	178	270	9,710	31	640	671
June	1,334	159	256	10,874	19	671	690
July	1,575	172	270	12,251	14	740	754
August	1,431	174	267	11,154	50	660	710
September	1,401	169	263	10,483	67	635	702
October	1,566	161	265	9,606	106	586	692
November	1,346	169	262	8,578	85	573	658
December	1,031	179	270	8,547	52	593	645
1959: January	866	178	267	8,068	53	577	630
February	1,295	162	244	7,685	47	574	621
March	1,277	167	274	8,557	58	611	669
April	1,351	170	265	8,840	47	638	685
May	1,291	183	287	10,319	42	698	740
June	1,394	210	291	11,501	29	750	779
July	1,473	187	290	12,045	42	775	817
August	1,428	189	285	11,761	48	735	783
September	1,485	204	277	10,373	67	670	737
October	1,423	231	306	10,318	93	667	760
November	1,392	202	296	9,095	89	643	732

\* Monthly totals are approximate.

† 1 Therm. = 100,000 British Thermal Units.

## TEXTILES

Period	Spun Yarn*				Woven Cloth*		
	Wool		Cotton	Rayon and Synthetic Fibres	Wool		Cotton
	Woollen	Worsted			Woollen	Worsted	
	Thousand lb.				Thousand sq. yards		
Year: 1953-54	3,693	7,025	18,161	498	3,089	9,362	25,099
1954-55	3,477	7,292	19,168	279	2,234	8,855	27,711
1955-56	3,610	6,662	19,254	569	1,808	8,340	25,057
1956-57	3,885	6,769	20,394	849	2,101	7,452	18,064
1957-58	4,319	5,719	21,074	1,356	2,277	6,851	17,012
1958-59	4,334	5,201	19,550	1,819	1,770	6,233	14,984
1958: March	370	529	1,727	132	214	605	1,333
April	332	456	1,864	182	170	594	1,473
May	416	418	1,656	103	165	553	1,300
June	354	382	1,498	103	122	506	1,336
July	368	393	1,728	168	121	538	1,378
August	395	323	1,579	168	138	479	1,241
September	356	418	1,559	182	129	516	1,189
October	345	410	1,713	145	143	572	1,266
November	339	423	1,563	136	178	502	1,339
December	274	334	1,392	132	141	432	1,111
1959: January	258	314	1,158	113	120	349	1,095
February	358	467	1,607	135	166	531	1,238
March	359	497	1,661	160	173	558	1,213
April	423	575	1,996	162	166	597	1,385
May	427	504	1,798	151	172	584	1,206
June	432	543	1,796	167	123	575	1,323
July	525	560	2,022	188	160	596	1,495
August	461	460	1,723	171	153	545	1,476
September	471	582	1,925	188	180	633	1,379
October	534	491	1,813	173	239	563	1,337
November	479	459	1,926	184	220	593	1,459

\* Mixtures are included with the predominant fibre.

## No. 38. Factory Products, New South Wales (continued)

## CLOTHING

Period	Hosiery		Underwear (Knitted and Woven)		Shirts		Gloves Work *  Doz. pairs	
	Women's, Maids' and Girls'	Other	Corsets (incl. roll- on girdles)	Men's, Youths' and Boys'	Women's, Maids' and Girls'	Men's, Youths' and Boys'		
				Knitted	Woven	Knitted		
	Dozen pairs		Dozen					
Year: 1953-54	610,178	442,305	57,020	730,415	1,431,087	144,560	376,875	147,326
1954-55	641,205	415,010	50,398	706,144	1,479,340	128,239	459,896	184,009
1955-56	600,445	365,064	57,438	829,191	1,503,223	129,227	455,032	191,954
1956-57	647,052	411,449	50,258	897,571	1,506,715	134,160	438,577	179,135
1957-58	655,201	372,407	60,040	1,020,999	1,440,879	173,735	477,742	185,012r
1958-59	691,365	323,087r	57,840	1,014,736	1,549,975	183,230	519,403	198,861r
1958: March	56,535	30,701	4,784	85,478	122,863	7,699	34,189	16,777r
April	51,444	29,598	5,503	87,827	121,685	7,897	35,153	17,523r
May	61,099	34,232	5,300	80,685	116,910	10,433	43,001	17,451r
June	60,750	29,846	4,514	72,048	113,184	15,503	39,221	15,452r
July	67,122	32,804	4,049	105,015	145,542	20,463	45,331	19,427r
August	56,142	27,742	5,203	87,463	129,220	22,489	47,949	15,674r
September	60,844	30,489	5,549	97,848	144,607	22,229	47,730	17,108r
October	68,225	30,068	5,954	97,557	160,420	21,778	51,897	18,207r
November	62,689	29,035	5,495	92,351	154,452	19,221	49,665	16,857r
December	49,048	23,784r	4,743	87,329	128,357	12,770	37,779	13,825
1959: January	34,829	15,079	2,757	47,818	75,774	6,644	23,781	10,514
February	50,417	25,062r	5,200	82,482	135,409	10,477	41,766	16,571
March	56,268	22,147r	5,015	85,548	123,753	10,255	40,379	16,773
April	61,268	30,797r	4,629	82,613	113,832	9,896	43,752	18,936
May	63,591	28,702	4,545	75,122	112,263	11,204	44,585	18,288
June	60,922	27,378	4,701	73,590	126,346	15,804	44,789	16,681
July	58,057	35,724	4,844	94,250	136,921	26,234	55,752	20,228
August	52,565	29,179	5,664	80,181	126,236	25,546	47,044	18,758
September	56,762	37,254	7,292	96,090	147,206	27,707	52,231	21,813
October	55,187	32,038	5,989	74,890	139,340	28,138	51,959	19,485
November	58,805	35,633	5,898	89,846	124,978	24,937	53,283	19,526
Period		Men's and Youths' Outer Clothing		Cardigans, and Pullovers (Knitted)		Footwear*		
Period	Suits	Sports Coats and Blazers	Sports Trousers	Men's, Youths' and Boys'	Women's, Maids and Girls'	Men's and Youths'	Women's and Maids'	Boys', Girls' and Infants'
	Number			Dozen		Thousand pairs		
	Number			Dozen		Thousand pairs		
Year: 1953-54	317,461	222,482	1,168,169	89,409	139,990	2,533	4,583	3,134
1954-55	316,674	275,490	1,210,723	94,462	138,950	2,341	4,190	2,575
1955-56	321,584	248,492	1,363,750	84,748	142,208	2,288	4,400	2,523
1956-57	317,522	270,973	1,269,928	102,888	155,086	2,442	4,709	2,399
1957-58	358,664	258,835	1,346,608	90,309	160,239	2,669	5,198	2,385
1958-59	350,721	230,279	1,460,609	84,352r	149,720r	2,928	5,054	2,353
1958: March	30,836	22,374	117,431	12,430	17,416	250	407	193
April	25,936	23,855	113,876	10,210	16,865	243	418	176
May	33,374	20,445	112,222	8,990	14,639	269	437	187
June	30,527	17,206	108,203	6,622	13,035	250	426	172
July	27,240	20,885	122,224	3,650	15,675r	279	487	216
August	30,266	20,649	117,390	4,120r	12,922r	262	488	229
September	34,137	20,558	125,100	4,259	14,146r	279	538	239
October	35,748	22,301	129,773	4,217	14,951r	259	534	257
November	34,226	24,892	132,902	6,063	12,135r	255	437	228
December	31,962	18,285	116,972	5,632	6,611r	214	310	211
1959: January	15,613	8,973	64,741	5,370	5,974r	133	225	139
February	27,670	18,963	123,379	9,588	10,621r	232	370	163
March	29,174	19,252	127,457	12,398	12,208	236	402	157
April	29,343	21,148	144,168	11,134	15,562	259	434	170
May	28,691	17,437	134,816	10,108	14,711	258	420	154
June	26,651	16,936	121,687	7,813	14,204	262	409	190
July	33,356	19,794	155,524	4,768	14,833	284	465	247
August	29,659	17,683	140,782	3,861	14,390	261	450	283
September	32,472	22,357	176,921	4,647	14,890	292	522	218
October	34,951	19,356	164,805	4,743	14,364	316	458	182
November	33,969	23,744	167,811	6,035	12,538	304	459	187

\* Excludes articles of rubber. From July, 1958, "footwear" includes moulded plastic type.

## No. 38. Factory Products, New South Wales (continued)

## HOUSEHOLD APPLIANCES

Period	Stoves, Domestic Cooking			Coppers (Gas and Electric,*)	Sink Heaters (Gas and Electric)	Bath Heaters (All Types)	Hot Water Systems (Storage All Types)	Refrigerators (Domestic)
	Solid Fuel	Gas	Electric)*					
Number								
Year: 1953-54	13,582	22,729	13,263	n.a.	8,351	49,511	25,418	159,287
1954-55	13,235	n.a.	23,015	26,552	10,213	50,680	26,725	171,641
1955-56	13,106	23,818	27,399	24,843	10,350	49,210	25,713	155,703
1956-57	10,519	19,093	29,211	21,018	8,796	39,335	26,251	109,597
1957-58	10,636	13,989	36,103	21,061	7,859	37,580	26,797	94,274
1958-59	9,696	19,537	42,883	21,563	8,682	34,355	31,220	110,310
1958: March	832	909	3,326	1,623	534	2,801	2,142	6,218
April	889	3,043	3,051	1,493	467	2,875	2,111	5,574
May	845		3,220	2,144	637	3,707	2,234	5,659
June	781		3,085	1,668	673	3,447	2,119	6,080
July	800	3,521	3,867	1,842	1,662	3,868	2,943	9,383
August	924		3,614	2,050		3,983	2,774	11,310
September	750	6,715	3,459	2,084	854	3,869	3,230	12,424
October	840		3,890	2,226	836	2,250	2,710	14,627
November	776		3,497	1,548	1,525	2,749	2,331	11,749
December	585		3,291	1,548		2,296	2,395	12,320
1959: January	419	5,284	1,987	1,139	454	1,508	1,583	7,210
February	729		3,752	1,908	613	2,053	2,255	7,602
March	735	4,017	3,841	1,643	2,039	2,717	2,447	5,143
April	921		4,247	2,023		2,828	2,970	6,189
May	1,068		3,905	1,806	699	2,932	2,509	5,152
June	1,149		3,533	1,746		3,302	3,073	7,201
July	1,132	7,676	3,541	2,058	2,232	3,338	3,225	9,726
August	792		3,104	2,200		3,416	3,119	9,877
September	806	n.a.	3,901	1,965	n.a.	3,296	3,649	13,739
October	761		4,231	2,116		2,538	3,448	16,929
November	777		4,589	2,076		2,626	3,339	13,153
Period	Clothes Washing Machines (Electric, Domestic)	Toasters (Electric)	Radio and Television Cabinets (All Types)	Radio Sets			Radio- grams	Television Sets
				Portable and car	Mantel, Table, and Console			
Number								
Year: 1953-54	43,815	72,510	267,961	79,686	124,949	60,196	...	...
1954-55	71,617	75,134	277,993	93,779	127,013	66,592	...	...
1955-56	74,241	92,664	250,306	84,061	128,830	61,385	n.a.	...
1956-57	68,417	98,010	280,274	89,003	94,731	58,949	76,989	76,989
1957-58	77,139	78,940	338,979	91,639	75,959	63,066	179,988	179,988
1958-59	80,953	97,772	333,853	112,946	71,433	46,359	217,205	217,205
1958: March	6,417	7,268	28,747	7,758	6,048	5,339	16,513	16,513
April	6,780	6,584	27,395	5,577	4,027	4,544	17,058	17,058
May	7,201	7,663	29,724	30,865	14,217	8,472	4,866	22,315
June	6,377	7,200	3,335			3,434	22,718	
July	5,652	4,736	31,452	32,409	32,409	4,066	4,149	26,403
August	6,073	7,161	37,983			9,766	3,859	26,553
September	6,720	7,424	37,622	23,475	38,223	10,408	3,603	22,953
October	7,071	7,478	28,588			10,022	4,292	16,292
November	6,619	8,708	33,977	33,105	3,275	10,117	3,909	11,387
December	5,721	10,367	23,475			5,152	4,255	10,984
1959: January	4,847	5,902	12,856	13,873	3,285	2,112	6,325	6,325
February	6,722	9,757	18,839			4,186	3,869	11,921
March	7,597	8,681	19,968	9,478	4,556	3,531	12,487	12,487
April	8,674	9,520	25,524	9,776	4,449	5,150	17,416	17,416
May	7,978	8,868	30,464	5,912	1,940	4,072	23,371	23,371
June	7,279	9,170	33,105	3,275	3,486	3,558	31,113	31,113
July	6,936	12,325	33,748	4,943	2,874	3,385	35,469	35,469
August	7,087	17,104	37,585	5,054	3,745	3,097	33,355	33,355
September	8,225		36,933	7,875	6,003	3,043	32,685	32,685
October	7,276	7,290	48,291	14,397	6,602	3,947	29,268	29,268
November	8,134	9,661	50,880	19,589	7,972	3,706	23,633	23,633

\* Excludes stovettes and cookers.

## No. 38. Factory Products, New South Wales (continued)

## BUILDING MATERIALS

Period	Sawn Timber (Native *)	Bricks, Clay (exc. brickettes)	Tiles Roofing (Terra Cotta and Cement)	Fibrous Plaster Sheets	Cement	Paints, Ready Mixed (Not Water) and Enamels†		Water Paints, Plastic Latex Emulsion Type
	Mill. Sup. ft.	Thousand		Thousand sq. yds.		Architectural and Decorative	Industrial	
				Tons		Thousand gallons		
Year: 1953-54	370.3	375,593	38,915	5,445	726,053	3,781		n.a.
1954-55	372.9	382,902	39,931	6,036	815,603	4,761		n.a.
1955-56	362.7	374,768	39,596	5,637	829,103	4,986		n.a.
1956-57	365.5	355,233	37,812	5,183	849,803	4,990		n.a.
1957-58	359.7	375,873	40,475	6,148	948,299	3,752	1,450	591
1958-59	373.8r	418,698r	43,127r	6,188r	971,248	3,977	1,503	934r
1958: March	33.4	31,754	3,288	528	82,405	309	132	54
April	32.4	31,771	3,370	505	73,792	280	125	51
May	26.8	35,919	3,650	548	84,357	294	129	64
June	36.2	32,164	3,302	511	84,777	276	121	56
July	27.0	38,774r	3,618	539r	84,553	298	115	62
August	35.6	34,715r	3,394	522r	86,629	340	112	70
September	31.4	39,540r	3,817	528r	89,562	399	131	87r
October	34.8	36,263r	4,006r	554r	91,465	407	136	90
November	35.3r	34,651r	3,606r	549r	88,170	426	143	79
December	34.0	32,334r	3,111	451r	76,385	348	122	76
1959: January	21.9	20,516r	2,709	402	58,960	248	91	53
February	20.7	32,544r	3,595	517	70,085	327	133	64
March	30.0	37,590	3,659	501	86,556	307	131	78
April	30.1	35,710	3,947	544	76,108	304	140	93
May	37.3	37,524	3,938	538	87,298	300	131	91
June	35.7	38,537	3,727	543	75,477	273	118	91
July	34.3	37,122	4,237	571	78,153	401	134	116
August	33.7	38,504	4,059	548	90,545	362	134	106
September	34.5	41,433	4,027	557	89,795	398	143	122
October	n.y.a.	39,002	4,134	555	92,807	384	154	127
November	n.y.a.	36,080	3,896	562	83,906	403	147	130

\* Including sawn sleepers.

† Includes primers and undercoats.

## MISCELLANEOUS PRODUCTS

Period	Internal Combustion Engines *	Electric Motors			I h.p. and over	Motor Bodies†		Caravans, Trailers, and Semi- trailers		
		Under 1 h.p.		I h.p. and over		Car	Other			
		½ h.p. and under	Over ½ h.p.							
Number										
Year: 1953-54	17,482	549,383	133,097	22,410	†	†	†			
1954-55	17,281	697,660	153,800	30,493	44,339	13,328	2,392			
1955-56	48,715	622,803	146,273	30,477	26,177	12,181	2,451			
1956-57	95,626	519,451	142,561	26,177	41,740	18,536	2,389			
1957-58	102,929	595,701	170,887	30,023	57,323	18,330	2,791			
1958-59	179,737	656,513r	204,562	30,673	54,375					
1958: March	12,750	42,903	15,643	2,977	5,415	1,819	187			
April	10,570	45,777	13,659	2,694	5,160	1,730	165			
May	6,598	47,914	18,952	2,274	6,107	1,644	194			
June	5,580	56,058	16,602	2,485	5,437	1,407	136			
July	10,248	58,180	17,085	2,546	5,290	1,458	189			
August	14,336	56,176	16,247	2,426	4,286	1,366	179			
September	15,422	62,266	19,552	2,687	4,421	1,472	235			
October	17,408	62,884	19,172	2,860	4,562	1,584	279			
November	30,287	59,250	19,844	2,676	4,216	1,598	279			
December	18,329	54,407	15,343	1,920	3,475	1,396	325			
1959: January	19,100	38,414	10,931	1,727	3,579	1,037	157			
February	22,843	52,458	17,872	2,694	4,453	1,513	244			
March	8,304	46,034	17,880	2,846	4,873	1,573	188			
April	10,401	55,295	16,449	3,036	5,363	1,877	239			
May	4,411	56,333r	17,464	2,590	4,949	1,783	258			
June	8,648	54,816	16,723	2,665	4,908	1,673	219			
July	4,101	58,149	16,093	3,010	5,473	1,465	217			
August	11,295	60,770	17,855	2,663	5,535	1,418	231			
September	22,514	80,859	20,098	3,246	6,417	1,626	278			
October	29,289	73,188	17,723	3,586	6,391	1,518	330			
November	35,453	77,335	22,035	3,558	6,325	1,608	350			

\* Excludes car, motor cycle, tractor, and aero engines.

† Includes body portion of mono-constructed vehicles, but excludes cabins and conversions.

**No. 38. Factory Products, New South Wales (continued)**  
**MISCELLANEOUS PRODUCTS (continued)**

Period	Soap and Synthetic Detergents					Coconut Oil (Crude)	
	Personal Toilet Use	Household, Commercial, and General Washing Purposes		Industrial Use			
		Soap-based *	Other †	Soap-based *	Other †		
Cwt.							
Year: 1954-55	296,037	879,419	114,411	94,054	23,065	19,559	
1955-56	267,311	859,993	124,199	102,186	31,475	17,414	
1956-57	265,772	802,822	169,941	100,671	36,638	21,307	
1957-58	303,423	850,621	208,452	97,708	39,677	22,296	
1958-59	311,799	711,513	210,990	94,676	54,484	22,714	
1958: March	26,598	65,511	18,519	8,590	3,265	1,602	
April	26,653	76,464	19,582	8,867	3,151	1,848	
May	29,942	64,517	23,160	7,089	3,349	2,004	
June	31,320	55,238	20,522	8,705	3,072	1,958	
July	29,419	63,808	18,884	8,421	4,117	2,088	
August	22,845	64,976	14,718	7,952	4,507	2,336	
September	24,694	60,556	15,558	6,950	5,235	1,846	
October	29,039	46,502	16,917	7,941	4,566	1,717	
November	32,262	56,079	15,797	8,060	4,834	2,462	
December	29,219	66,862	14,432	7,771	5,440	1,654	
1959: January	19,292	56,614	13,959	5,423	4,260	1,873	
February	29,552	68,573	20,492	7,304	4,377	2,015	
March	28,721	59,742	18,886	8,272	4,329	1,273	
April	26,875	62,770	20,447	10,429	3,923	2,170	
May	20,273	53,187	20,276	8,211	4,679	1,670	
June	19,608	51,844	20,624	7,942	4,217	1,610	
July	22,197	65,355	18,944r	9,343r	4,836	2,198	
August	20,429	62,752	17,846r	9,193r	4,536	1,282	
September	25,382	64,615	16,734r	9,938r	3,941	972	
October	27,347	50,716	18,165	7,711r	4,716	1,366	
November	27,522	62,954	17,883	8,641	5,056	1,891	
Period	Batteries (wet cell)			Mattresses			
	S.L.I. ‡	Other		Sulphate of Ammonia	Mattresses		
		6 Volt	12 Volt		Wire ¶	Inner Spring	
Number			Tons		Number		
Year: 1953-54	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	52,785	99,391	198,472	98,635
1954-55	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	57,242	118,033	218,690	100,209
1955-56	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	55,135	100,260	221,633	96,555
1956-57	479,607	413,788	257,260	48,823	88,710	216,291	80,897
1957-58	412,652	395,481	217,590	43,599	120,547	244,958	63,746
1958-59	390,377	406,689	196,745	42,318	133,187	246,092	64,811
1958: March	34,906	34,257	19,478	3,500	12,043	22,200	5,408
April	33,144	33,248	16,622	3,409	10,213	21,151	5,651
May	36,436	38,517	21,329	3,626	12,337	20,560	5,290
June	31,540	33,071	17,549	3,446	10,098	18,456	4,437
July	34,004	35,626	19,920	4,404	12,671	24,436	6,333
August	28,626	32,390	19,778	3,871	9,949	21,628	5,855
September	32,072	33,424	19,249	3,647	10,648	21,909	5,919
October	32,502	33,492	15,864	4,098	11,092	21,425	5,685
November	30,545	27,678	15,237	3,626	13,763	20,147	6,052
December	24,333	25,231	11,441	3,299	11,583	21,641	5,229
1959: January	20,328	22,865	9,643	2,584	7,169	14,603	3,995
February	33,219	32,200	13,741	3,181	12,450	19,423	5,148
March	33,602	38,298	17,014	2,945	11,358	21,399	5,343
April	37,777	42,281	17,721	3,999	12,465	20,925	5,286
May	39,062	42,123	15,224	3,347	10,398	19,747	5,156
June	44,307	41,081	21,913	3,317	9,641	18,809	4,810
July	41,488	43,006	20,787	4,406	11,388	20,655	5,308
August	34,576	36,757	18,766	3,990	11,589	19,042	4,396
September	28,292	37,745	17,140	3,667	14,225	20,210	4,758
October	26,351	36,308	22,339	4,186	14,755	21,571	4,764
November	30,856	37,998	12,254	3,534	13,694	22,142	4,758

\* With active constituents of soap only or mixtures of soap and alkali.

† All synthetic detergents, wetting agents, and mixtures of soap and/or alkali and synthetic detergents.

‡ Starting, lighting, and ignition.

¶ Includes wire stretchers.

## BUILDING

## Notes.

1. "Value" represents the estimated cost of the building when completed (exclusive of the land).
2. Building is classified as "government" or "private" according to ownership.
3. The value of building approved is, for private building, the value of permits issued by local government authorities to build in that part of the State (covering all municipalities and the larger residential areas within shires) subject to building control by local authorities; and for government building, the value of contracts let or work commenced and day labour projects authorised by governmental authorities.
4. The number of houses and flats approved is, for private building, the number covered by local authority permits to build; and for government building, the number covered by contracts let and day labour jobs authorised by governmental authorities.
5. Some building in rural areas is excluded.

## No. 39. Value of Building\* Approved in N.S.W.: Private and Government by Principal Classes of Building

Period	Houses	Flats (incl. Con versions)	Hotels, Guest Houses, etc.	Shops with Dwellings	Shops Only	Factories	Other Classes	Total, All Classes
£ thousand								
PRIVATE								
Year: 1953	64,032	1,006	2,184	1,217	2,907	5,449	13,429	90,224
1954	72,519	1,142	3,333	1,236	6,376	11,591	14,251	110,448
1955	73,947	1,722	3,945	1,080	5,068	13,529	19,229	118,520
1956	69,341	2,111	4,241	737	5,257	13,862	19,342	114,891
1957	78,082	4,794	3,270	827	4,978	13,335	19,693	124,979
1958	87,989	7,411	3,580	1,003	6,420	14,363	22,962	143,728
1957: June Qr.	20,459	1,562	1,077	168	1,455	5,308	4,432	34,461
Sept. Qr.	21,746	1,429	971	263	1,682	2,465	5,580	34,136
Dec. Qr.	18,477	1,179	725	220	1,026	2,831	4,182	28,640
1958: Mar. Qr.	20,272	1,141	615	188	1,321	2,476	5,196	31,209
June Qr.	21,128	1,954	1,251	202	1,872	3,580	7,167	37,154
Sept. Qr.	25,582	2,246	974	341	2,012	5,414	5,826	42,395
Dec. Qr.	21,007	2,070	740	272	1,215	2,893	4,773	32,970
1959: Mar. Qr.	20,617	2,213	795	497	1,068	2,361	4,004	31,555
June Qr.	23,051	1,836	1,047	225	1,310	7,384	6,691	41,544
Sept. Qr.	25,969	4,274	948	331	1,788	3,631	8,135	45,076
GOVERNMENT								
Year: 1953	14,262	626	...	25	6	26	6,416	21,361
1954	9,691	470	13	57	57	473	9,290	20,051
1955	7,704	587	...	37	50	9,694	20,649	38,721
1956	6,656	242	...	...	73	8,090	18,199	33,260
1957	10,270	591	82	23	172	1,832	11,674	24,644
1958	9,071	1,450	206	...	304	1,836	20,540	33,407
1957: June Qr.	1,684	242	62	18	20	57	2,342	4,425
Sept. Qr.	2,734	...	20	...	29	152	3,892	6,827
Dec. Qr.	1,684	91	...	5	86	55	3,200	5,121
1958: Mar. Qr.	1,234	315	...	...	74	1,313	2,883	5,819
June Qr.	2,870	6	...	...	38	148	8,019	11,081
Sept. Qr.	2,086	572	190	...	108	279	6,464	9,699
Dec. Qr.	2,881	557	16	...	84	96	3,174	6,808
1959: Mar. Qr.	2,129	135	...	77	81	175	4,900	7,497
June Qr.	2,086	1,257	16	...	...	2,706	6,583	12,648
Sept. Qr.	1,663	227	17	5	7	106	8,470	10,495

## PRIVATE AND GOVERNMENT

Year: 1953	78,294	1,632	2,184	1,242	2,913	5,475	19,845	111,585
1954	82,210	1,612	3,346	1,293	6,433	12,064	23,541	130,499
1955	81,651	2,309	3,945	1,117	5,118	23,223	39,878	157,241
1956	75,997	2,353	4,241	737	5,330	21,952	37,541	148,151
1957	88,352	5,385	3,352	850	5,150	15,167	31,367	149,623
1958	97,060	8,861	3,786	1,003	6,724	16,199	43,502	177,135
1957: June Qr.	22,143	1,804	1,139	186	1,475	5,365	6,774	38,886
Sept. Qr.	24,480	1,429	991	263	1,711	2,617	9,472	40,963
Dec. Qr.	20,161	1,270	725	225	1,112	2,886	7,382	33,761
1958: Mar. Qr.	21,506	1,456	615	188	1,395	3,789	8,079	37,028
June Qr.	23,998	1,960	1,251	202	1,910	3,728	15,186	48,235
Sept. Qr.	27,668	2,818	1,164	341	2,120	5,693	12,290	52,094
Dec. Qr.	23,888	2,627	756	272	1,299	2,989	7,947	39,778
1959: Mar. Qr.	22,746	2,348	795	574	1,149	2,536	8,904	39,052
June Qr.	25,137	3,093	1,063	225	1,310	10,090	13,274	54,192
Sept. Qr.	27,632	4,501	965	336	1,795	3,737	16,605	55,571

\* Includes alterations and additions to existing buildings.

**No. 40. Value of Building\* Approved in Areas of N.S.W. :  
Principal Classes of Building**

Period	Houses	Flats (incl. Con- versions)	Hotels Guest Houses, etc.	Shops with Dwellings	Shops Only	Factories	Other Classes	Total, All Classes
£ thousand								
METROPOLIS								
Year: 1955	49,651	1,703	1,958	667	3,228	15,279	27,503	99,989
1956	47,789	1,857	2,602	440	3,807	13,151	26,289	95,935
1957	55,162	4,543	1,567	592	3,571	10,528	17,718	93,681
1958	61,104	7,808	1,816	616	4,456	11,303	29,242	116,345
1958: Sept. Qr.	17,537	2,465	331	218	1,538	3,968	8,416	34,473
Dec. Qr.	14,990	2,434	362	179	851	2,248	4,814	25,878
1959: Mar. Qr.	14,042	2,038	341	508	637	2,022	5,905	25,493
June Qr.	15,423	2,570	598	139	861	6,577	8,235	34,403
Sept. Qr.	17,294	3,972	399	197	1,085	2,740	10,806	36,493
BALANCE OF CUMBERLAND								
Year: 1955	3,194	...	103	56	180	5,249	1,000	9,782
1956	3,126	...	97	9	100	5,873	763	9,968
1957	4,047	18	7	9	125	225	1,066	5,497
1958	4,955	2	22	12	209	35	1,365	6,600
1958: Sept. Qr.	1,450	...	10	...	46	2	668	2,176
Dec. Qr.	1,444	2	8	5	91	19	384	1,953
1959: Mar. Qr.	1,471	1	59	10	87	4	106	1,758
June Qr.	1,470	8	...	10	48	8	364	1,908
Sept. Qr.	1,669	5	57	13	38	138	386	2,306
NEWCASTLE URBAN AREA †								
Year: 1955	3,935	15	339	30	196	942	1,419	6,876
1956	3,463	8	181	27	137	643	2,682	7,141
1957	5,587	58	540	21	141	665	3,259	10,271
1958	5,721	53	71	48	398	826	1,643	8,760
1958: Sept. Qr.	1,596	2	37	31	66	290	273	2,295
Dec. Qr.	1,200	11	9	5	58	117	582	1,982
1959: Mar. Qr.	1,608	42	48	6	56	251	329	2,340
June Qr.	1,384	77	105	...	45	291	1,016	2,918
Sept. Qr.	1,405	11	3	30	55	429	571	2,504
GREATER WOLLONGONG								
Year: 1955	3,727	86	413	100	284	582	909	6,101
1956	2,704	88	286	27	259	451	724	4,539
1957	3,608	200	27	51	275	2,827	1,373	8,361
1958	4,183	180	63	57	359	1,699	1,247	7,788
1958: Sept. Qr.	860	74	39	22	57	975	643	2,670
Dec. Qr.	1,093	12	20	5	60	334	117	1,641
1959: Mar. Qr.	847	100	8	7	75	55	140	1,232
June Qr.	1,131	266	113	22	100	365	428	2,425
Sept. Qr.	1,561	122	16	16	171	233	497	2,616
REST OF NEW SOUTH WALES								
Year: 1955	21,144	505	1,132	264	1,230	1,171	9,047	34,493
1956	18,915	400	1,075	234	1,027	1,834	7,083	30,568
1957	19,948	566	1,211	177	1,038	922	7,951	31,813
1958	21,097	818	1,814	270	1,302	2,336	10,005	37,642
1958: Sept. Qr.	6,225	277	747	70	413	458	2,290	10,480
Dec. Qr.	5,161	168	357	78	239	271	2,050	8,324
1959: Mar. Qr.	4,778	167	339	43	294	204	2,424	8,249
June Qr.	5,729	172	247	54	256	2,849	3,231	12,538
Sept. Qr.	5,703	391	491	80	446	197	4,344	11,652

\* Includes alterations and additions to existing buildings.

† Comprises the City of Newcastle and portion of adjoining Lake Macquarie Shire.

**No. 41. Value of Building\* Commenced and Completed in N.S.W.: Principal Classes of Building**

Period	Houses	Flats	Hotels, Guest Houses, etc.	Shops with Dwellings	Shops Only	Factories	Other Classes	Total, All Classes
	£ thousand							
COMMENCED								
Year: 1953	62,144	948	1,802	1,232	1,769	5,257	14,414	87,566
1954	71,145	2,129	2,770	1,231	3,618	9,211	28,505	118,609
1955	69,465	1,655	3,929	1,206	3,898	13,474	35,458	129,085
1956	65,603	2,004	3,283	839	4,070	30,773	30,575	137,147
1957	73,239	3,512	3,008	886	3,313	18,511	32,939	135,408
1958	78,189	7,215	3,604	867	4,754	13,629	37,588	145,846
1957: June Qr.	19,234	944	525	282	662	5,539	6,860	34,046
Sept. Qr.	19,020	1,305	991	210	1,129	6,800	9,881	39,336
Dec. Qr.	17,602	729	636	205	874	2,722	7,955	30,723
1958: Mar. Qr.	17,916	1,442	582	159	978	2,488	7,555	31,120
June Qr.	19,934	1,695	667	214	1,333	3,526	8,988	36,357
Sept. Qr.	21,559	2,387	1,515	268	1,440	4,178	13,614	44,961
Dec. Qr.	18,780	1,691	840	226	1,003	3,437	7,431	33,408
1959: Mar. Qr.	20,846	2,585	1,100	587	824	3,625	9,451	39,018
June Qr.	20,902	1,785	487	259	1,502	5,466	14,235	44,636
Sept. Qr.	22,107	3,436	1,422	227	2,337	4,564	15,243	49,336
COMPLETED								
Year: 1953	65,791	3,499	825	1,100	1,201	7,525	21,361	101,302
1954	74,250	1,595	2,008	1,257	2,052	8,642	17,848	107,652
1955	77,263	1,539	2,870	1,025	2,968	7,902	23,862	117,429
1956	71,109	2,285	3,376	1,125	3,329	12,404	29,034	122,662
1957	72,157	2,377	3,804	866	5,109	29,259	43,354	156,926
1958	84,684	4,804	3,310	908	5,834	25,988	41,123	166,651
1957: June Qr.	18,037	552	895	232	2,028	6,060	7,545	35,349
Sept. Qr.	17,432	480	763	237	962	7,913	17,159	44,946
Dec. Qr.	19,819	973	1,076	205	1,314	8,305	9,062	40,754
1958: Mar. Qr.	19,020	959	1,073	216	944	7,983	11,192	41,387
June Qr.	21,287	960	675	190	1,676	9,051	8,598	42,437
Sept. Qr.	22,152	1,126	451	291	1,561	3,927	10,108	39,616
Dec. Qr.	22,225	1,759	1,111	211	1,653	5,027	11,225	43,211
1959: Mar. Qr.	20,427	966	779	215	976	4,997	11,330	39,690
June Qr.	22,374	1,611	508	238	1,543	2,799	8,609	37,682
Sept. Qr.	23,423	1,668	1,122	269	1,234	4,409	11,297	43,422

\* Includes alterations and additions with an estimated cost of £5,000 or more.

**No. 42. New Houses and Flats Commenced and Completed in Statistical Divisions of N.S.W.**

Statistical Division	Commenced				Completed			
	Year		Jan.-Sept.		Year		Jan.-Sept.	
	1957	1958	1958	1959	1957	1958	1958	1959
	Number of Dwelling Units							
<b>Metropolis</b> .. ..								
Balance of Cumberland .. ..	15,448	16,770	12,560	14,030	14,830	17,601	12,885	13,806
Division of Cumberland ..	1,082	1,329	934	1,416	980	1,253	905	1,362
16,530	18,099	13,494	15,446	15,810	18,854	13,790	15,168	
<b>Rest of New South Wales—</b>								
North Coast .. ..	711	816	641	569	704	817	599	604
Hunter and Manning .. ..	3,438	3,670	2,780	2,905	3,145	4,002	2,908	3,078
South Coast .. ..	1,853	2,031	1,530	1,971	1,669	1,996	1,465	1,832
Northern Tableland .. ..	221	220	151	155	250	223	165	164
Central Tableland .. ..	618	643	520	489	657	708	513	518
Southern Tableland .. ..	221	311	247	223	247	303	223	221
North Western Slope .. ..	310	328	242	268	286	362	285	257
Central Western Slope .. ..	273	237	186	185	304	273	196	196
South Western Slope .. ..	552	621	468	422	618	602	458	513
North Central Plain .. ..	118	106	84	129	124	113	87	119
Central Plain .. ..	98	92	78	61	98	91	74	59
Riverina .. ..	292	315	242	255	325	312	240	278
Western Division .. ..	225	168	143	90	210	247	194	123
Total, Rest of N.S.W. ..	8,930	9,558	7,312	7,722	8,637	10,049	7,407	7,962
Total, N.S.W. .. ..	25,460	27,657	20,806	23,168	24,447	28,903	21,197	23,130

## No. 43. New House and Flat Building in Areas of N.S.W.

Period	Houses				Flats *				Houses and Flats			
	Ap- proved	Com- menced	Com- pleted	Under Con- struc- tion	Ap- proved	Com- menced	Com- pleted	Under Con- struc- tion	Ap- proved	Com- menced	Com- pleted	Under Con- struc- tion

## DIVISION OF CUMBERLAND

Year: 1951	18,382	14,199	11,522	18,702	1,310	993	916	n.a.	19,692	15,192	12,438	n.a.
1952	9,937	10,633	14,193	15,142	182	391	1,064	1,346	10,119	11,024	15,257	16,488
1953	16,935	13,772	14,756	14,158	385	218	1,258	302	17,320	13,990	16,014	14,460
1954	16,540	15,453	16,946	12,665	306	494	386	408	16,846	15,947	17,332	13,073
1955	15,931	14,174	15,816	11,023	590	406	403	403	16,521	14,580	16,219	11,426
1956	15,078	13,537	14,437	10,123	646	486	537	310	15,724	14,023	14,974	10,433
1957	17,412	15,544	15,241	10,426	1,530	986	569	731	18,942	16,530	15,810	11,157
1958	19,503	16,249	17,550	9,125	2,733	1,850	1,304	1,275	22,236	18,099	18,854	10,400
1957: June Qr.	4,158	4,077	3,743	10,791	552	282	108	555	4,710	4,359	3,851	11,346
Sept. Qr.	4,937	4,008	3,731	11,068	333	360	107	808	5,270	4,368	3,838	11,876
Dec. Qr.	3,715	3,705	4,347	10,426	387	202	283	731	4,102	3,907	4,630	11,157
1958: Mar. Qr.	4,257	3,455	3,831	10,050	469	369	290	806	4,726	3,824	4,121	10,856
June Qr.	4,769	4,124	4,483	9,691	455	361	262	901	5,224	4,485	4,745	10,592
Sept. Qr.	5,564	4,603	4,601	9,693	843	582	323	1,166	6,407	5,185	4,924	10,859
Dec. Qr.	4,913	4,067	4,635	9,125	966	538	429	1,275	5,879	4,605	5,064	10,400
1959: Mar. Qr.	4,546	4,257	4,173	9,209	737	768	252	1,791	5,283	5,025	4,425	11,000
June Qr.	4,816	4,324	4,715	8,818	965	489	532	1,752	5,781	4,813	5,247	10,570
Sept. Qr.	5,385	4,577	4,945	8,450	1,330	1,031	551	2,230	6,715	5,608	5,496	10,680

## REST OF NEW SOUTH WALES

Year: 1951	15,071	10,537	8,857	10,687	288	262	204	n.a.	15,359	10,799	9,061	n.a.
1952	8,733	9,890	10,691	9,896	64	140	315	246	8,797	10,030	11,006	10,132
1953	12,400	10,747	10,842	9,791	356	236	297	180	12,756	10,983	11,139	9,971
1954	12,225	11,216	11,230	9,777	458	459	299	336	12,683	11,675	11,529	10,113
1955	10,640	10,089	11,597	8,269	344	354	279	393	10,984	10,443	11,876	8,662
1956	8,997	8,616	9,317	7,568	285	271	402	262	9,282	8,887	9,719	7,830
1957	10,192	8,647	8,279	7,936	418	283	358	174	10,610	8,930	8,637	8,110
1958	10,728	9,117	9,673	7,380	565	441	376	244	11,293	9,558	10,049	7,624
1957: June Qr.	2,710	2,312	2,060	7,692	150	80	91	210	2,860	2,392	2,151	7,902
Sept. Qr.	2,699	2,260	1,916	8,036	95	75	70	215	2,794	2,335	1,986	8,251
Dec. Qr.	2,474	2,050	2,150	7,936	122	100	138	174	2,596	2,150	2,288	8,110
1958: Mar. Qr.	2,441	2,286	2,293	7,929	128	113	65	221	2,569	2,399	2,358	8,150
June Qr.	2,645	2,289	2,363	7,855	135	88	116	193	2,780	2,377	2,479	8,048
Sept. Qr.	3,001	2,406	2,488	7,773	198	130	82	247	3,199	2,536	2,570	8,020
Dec. Qr.	2,641	2,136	2,529	7,380	104	110	113	244	2,745	2,246	2,642	7,624
1959: Mar. Qr.	2,549	2,444	2,373	7,451	164	88	107	225	2,713	2,532	2,480	7,676
June Qr.	2,886	2,394	2,581	7,264	250	150	97	269	3,136	2,544	2,678	7,533
Sept. Qr.	2,994	2,459	2,683	7,040	298	187	121	335	3,292	2,646	2,804	7,375

## NEW SOUTH WALES

Year: 1951	33,453	24,736	20,379	29,389	1,598	1,255	1,120	2,311	35,051	25,991	21,499	31,700
1952	18,670	20,523	24,884	25,028	246	531	1,379	1,592	18,916	21,054	26,263	26,620
1953	29,335	24,519	25,598	23,949	741	454	1,555	482	30,076	24,973	27,153	24,431
1954	28,765	26,669	28,176	22,442	764	953	685	744	29,529	27,622	28,861	23,186
1955	26,571	24,263	27,413	19,292	934	760	682	796	27,505	25,023	28,095	20,088
1956	24,075	22,153	23,754	17,691	931	757	939	572	25,006	22,910	24,693	18,263
1957	27,604	24,191	23,520	18,362	1,948	1,269	927	905	29,552	25,460	24,447	19,267
1958	30,231	25,366	27,223	16,505	3,298	2,291	1,680	1,519	33,529	27,657	28,903	18,024
1957: June Qr.	6,868	6,389	5,803	18,483	702	362	199	765	7,570	6,751	6,002	19,248
Sept. Qr.	7,636	6,268	5,647	19,104	428	435	177	1,023	8,064	6,703	5,824	20,127
Dec. Qr.	6,189	5,755	6,497	18,362	509	302	421	905	6,698	6,057	6,918	19,267
1958: Mar. Qr.	6,698	5,741	6,124	17,979	597	482	355	1,027	7,295	6,223	6,479	19,006
June Qr.	7,414	6,413	6,846	17,546	590	449	378	1,094	8,004	6,862	7,224	18,640
Sept. Qr.	8,565	7,089	7,009	17,466	1,041	712	405	1,413	9,606	7,721	7,494	18,879
Dec. Qr.	7,554	6,203	7,164	16,505	1,070	648	542	1,519	8,624	6,851	7,706	18,024
1959: Mar. Qr.	7,095	6,701	6,546	16,660	901	856	359	2,016	7,996	7,557	6,905	18,676
June Qr.	7,702	6,718	7,296	16,082	1,215	639	629	2,021	8,917	7,357	7,925	18,103
Sept. Qr.	8,379	7,036	7,628	15,490	1,628	1,218	672	2,565	10,007	8,254	8,300	18,055

\* Each flat in a group of flats is counted as a separate flat dwelling unit. Flat dwelling units that result from conversions of existing buildings into flats are not included as new flats.

## No. 44. New House and Flat Building in N.S.W.: Private and Government

Period	Approved			Commenced			Completed			Under Construction		
	Houses	Flats *	Houses and Flats	Houses	Flats *	Houses and Flats	Houses	Flats *	Houses and Flats	Houses	Flats *	Houses and Flats
	Number of Dwelling Units											
PRIVATE												
Year: 1950†	31,020	1,364	32,384	18,563	744	19,307	15,866	634	16,500	20,240	907	21,147
1951	28,206	1,091	29,297	20,431†	732	21,163†	16,252	790	17,042	24,419	849	25,268
1952	17,827	271	18,098	17,592†	295	17,887†	19,634	744	20,378	22,377	529	22,906
1953	23,103	393	23,496	19,448†	306	19,754†	21,051	555	21,606	20,774	271	21,045
1954	24,254	499	24,753	21,221†	531	21,752†	22,145	412	22,557	19,850	384	20,234
1955	23,173	651	23,824	20,566	499	21,065	23,455	406	23,861	16,961	451	17,412
1956	21,049	811	21,860	19,196	628	19,824	20,181	530	20,711	15,976	507	16,483
1957	23,387	1,706	25,093	19,913	1,008	20,921	19,843	820	20,663	16,046	686	16,732
1958	26,429	2,691	29,120	21,991	1,830	23,821	23,491	1,419	24,910	14,546	1,100	15,646
1957: June Qr.	6,204	603	6,807	4,921	244	5,165	4,997	172	5,169	16,038	560	16,598
Sept. Qr.	6,478	428	6,906	5,333	344	5,677	4,804	158	4,962	16,567	746	17,313
Dec. Qr.	5,551	470	6,021	4,723	302	5,025	5,244	363	5,607	16,046	686	16,732
1958: Mar. Qr.	6,223	457	6,680	5,386	303	5,689	5,335	275	5,610	16,097	709	16,806
June Qr.	6,247	587	6,834	5,452	446	5,898	5,805	320	6,125	15,744	831	16,575
Sept. Qr.	7,661	795	8,456	5,921	544	6,465	6,126	366	6,492	15,539	1,021	16,560
Dec. Qr.	6,298	852	7,150	5,232	537	5,769	6,225	458	6,683	14,546	1,100	15,646
1959: Mar. Qr.	6,217	854	7,071	5,776	729	6,505	5,815	359	6,174	14,507	1,470	15,977
June Qr.	6,850	773	7,623	5,672	534	6,206	6,241	439	6,680	13,938	1,560	15,498
Sept. Qr.	7,666	1,543	9,209	6,273	767	7,040	6,524	553	7,077	13,687	1,772	15,459
GOVERNMENT												
Year: 1950	3,909	505	4,414	3,739	815	4,554	3,453	335	3,788	4,792	1,269	6,061
1951	5,247	507	5,754	4,305	523	4,828	4,127	330	4,457	4,970	1,462	6,432
1952	843	—	25†	818	2,931	236	3,167	5,250	635	5,885	2,651	1,063
1953	6,232	348	6,580	5,071	148	5,219	4,547	1,000	5,547	3,175	211	3,386
1954	4,511	265	4,776	5,448	422	5,870	6,031	273	6,304	2,592	360	2,952
1955	3,398	283	3,681	3,697	261	3,958	3,958	276	4,234	2,331	345	2,676
1956	3,026	120	3,146	2,957	129	3,086	3,573	409	3,982	1,715	65	1,780
1957	4,217	242	4,459	4,278	261	4,539	3,677	107	3,784	2,316	219	2,535
1958	3,802	607	4,409	3,375	461	3,836	3,732	261	3,993	1,959	419	2,378
1957: June Qr.	664	99	763	1,468	118	1,586	806	27	833	2,445	205	2,650
Sept. Qr.	1,158	...	1,158	935	91	1,026	843	19	862	2,537	277	2,814
Dec. Qr.	638	39	677	1,032	...	1,032	1,253	58	1,311	2,316	219	2,535
1958: Mar. Qr.	475	140	615	355	179	534	789	80	869	1,882	318	2,200
June Qr.	1,167	3	1,170	961	3	964	1,041	58	1,099	1,802	263	2,065
Sept. Qr.	904	246	1,150	1,088	168	1,256	963	39	1,002	1,927	392	2,319
Dec. Qr.	1,256	218	1,474	971	111	1,082	939	84	1,023	1,959	419	2,378
1959: Mar. Qr.	878	47	925	925	127	1,052	731	...	731	2,153	546	2,699
June Qr.	852	442	1,294	1,046	105	1,151	1,055	190	1,245	2,144	461	2,605
Sept. Qr.	713	85	798	763	451	1,214	1,104	119	1,223	1,803	793	2,596

\* Each flat in a group of flats is counted as a separate flat dwelling unit. Flat dwelling units that result from conversions of existing buildings into flats are not included as new flats.

† Partly estimated.

‡ Excess of contracts cancelled over contracts let.

## No. 45. New Houses Commenced and Completed in N.S.W.: Type of Builder

Period	Houses Commenced *		Houses Completed		Period	Houses Commenced		Houses Completed	
	By Contract Builders	By Owner Builders	By Contract Builders	By Owner Builders		By Contract Builders	By Owner Builders	By Contract Builders	By Owner Builders
Year: 1952	9,261	11,262	14,595	10,289	1957: Sept. Qr.	4,157	2,111	3,895	1,752
1953	13,559	10,960	12,998	12,600	Dec. Qr.	3,815	1,940	4,336	2,161
1954	16,197	10,472	15,978	12,198	1958: Mar. Qr.	3,519	2,222	3,717	2,407
1955	14,849	9,414	15,720	11,693	June Qr.	4,238	2,175	4,238	2,608
1956	12,814	9,339	13,887	9,867	Sept. Qr.	5,059	1,950	4,761	2,328
1957	15,923	8,268	15,135	8,385	Dec. Qr.	4,170	2,033	4,610	2,554
1958	16,986	8,380	17,326	9,897					
1956: Sept. Qr.	3,388	2,306	3,427	1,907	1959: Mar. Qr.	4,635	2,066	4,051	2,495
Dec. Qr.	3,268	2,347	3,326	2,231	June Qr.	4,718	2,000	4,689	2,607
1957: Mar. Qr.	3,604	2,175	3,319	2,254	Sept. Qr.	5,018	2,018	5,312	2,316
June Qr.	4,347	2,042	3,585	2,218					

\* Partly estimated prior to June Quarter, 1954.

**No. 46. Regular Air Services Terminating in New South Wales and Operated by Australian-owned Airlines\***

These statistics, compiled by the Department of Civil Aviation, show Oversea, Interstate, and Intrastate Services separately. Where a journey extends over more than one of these services, particulars of passengers, freight, and mail carried are duplicated in the statistics. The Oversea Services include all traffic carried over stages outside Australia.

Period	Hours Flown	Miles Flown	Paying Passengers	Paying Passenger Miles	Freight		Mail	
					Thous.	Thous.	Tons (Gross)	Thous. Ton Miles
OVERSEA SERVICES*								
Year: 1953-54	50,141	10,644	95,621	272,534	2,215	8,110	1,363	7,651
1954-55	48,264	10,942	109,515	311,014	2,607	9,402	1,424	7,913
1955-56	49,007	11,717	123,981	375,291	2,865	10,375	1,467	8,436
1956-57	54,899	13,279	144,175	463,432	2,817	11,069	1,596	9,424
1957-58	59,561	14,268	149,854	473,269	2,996	13,474	1,703	9,626
1958-59	65,570	15,783	158,986	513,275	3,254	15,198	1,615	8,793
1958: Mar. Qr.	14,229	3,366	40,930	114,017	719	3,064	392	2,270
June Qr.	15,931	3,818	36,129	119,095	715	3,318	377	2,027
Sept. Qr.	16,398	3,914	37,847	138,630	780	3,568	395	2,149
Dec. Qr.	17,241	4,133	40,147	127,171	838	3,957	497	2,827
1959: Mar. Qr.	16,199	3,902	43,140	123,400	766	3,586	353	1,911
June Qr.	15,732	3,834	37,852	124,074	870	4,087	370	1,906
INTERSTATE SERVICES†								
Year: 1953-54	86,017	15,001	774,479	328,409	27,115	12,975	990	477
1954-55	83,702	15,370	848,097	366,766	27,819	13,878	1,088	545
1955-56	83,624	15,991	904,663	399,803	28,700	14,592	1,206	592
1956-57	85,374	16,397	999,458	449,703	26,279	13,958	1,248	633
1957-58	79,741	15,653	998,895	455,208	23,714	11,958	1,317	671
1958-59	n.y.a.	14,784	1,009,675	459,771	19,652	9,609	1,224	628
1958: Mar. Qr.	18,858	3,730	249,409	114,667	5,304	2,553	297	151
June Qr.	18,721	3,664	237,372	108,664	5,281	2,637	293	152
Sept. Qr.	18,986	3,806	240,124	110,858	5,495	2,765	302	157
Dec. Qr.	17,843	3,597	239,115	108,584	4,939	2,459	362	187
1959: Mar. Qr.	n.y.a.	3,639	265,493	120,337	4,084	1,955	259	132
June Qr.	n.y.a.	3,742	264,943	119,992	5,134	2,430	301	152
INTRASTATE SERVICES								
Year: 1953-54	21,401	3,192	213,726	44,183	2,534	618	33	12
1954-55	24,550	3,696	247,721	51,696	3,635	857	44	15
1955-56	24,311	3,627	238,718	50,978	3,632	872	39	14
1956-57	23,934	3,327	254,182	55,615	3,005	792	44	14
1957-58	23,576	3,281	280,824	61,867	3,099	803	47	16
1958-59	n.y.a.	3,625	319,830	66,701	3,181	785	52	15
1958: Mar. Qr.	5,867	823	74,644	16,245	754	195	10	4
June Qr.	6,387	896	78,368	17,047	806	211	11	3
Sept. Qr.	6,629	925	74,745	15,903	828	209	13	4
Dec. Qr.	6,544	907	74,492	16,074	807	205	12	3
1959: Mar. Qr.	n.y.a.	874	85,213	17,464	716	173	13	4
June Qr.	n.y.a.	919	85,380	17,260	830	198	14	4
TOTAL, ALL SERVICES*								
Year: 1953-54	157,559	28,837	1,083,826	645,126	31,864	21,703	2,386	8,140
1954-55	156,516	30,008	1,205,333	729,476	34,061	24,137	2,556	8,473
1955-56	156,942	31,335	1,267,362	826,072	35,197	25,839	2,712	9,042
1956-57	164,207	33,003	1,397,815	968,750	32,101	25,819	2,888	10,071
1957-58	162,878	33,202	1,429,573	990,344	29,809	26,235	3,067	10,313
1958-59	n.y.a.	34,192	1,488,491	1,039,747	26,087	25,592	2,891	9,436
1958: Mar. Qr.	38,954	7,919	364,983	244,929	6,777	5,812	699	2,425
June Qr.	41,039	8,378	351,869	244,806	6,802	6,166	681	2,182
Sept. Qr.	42,013	8,645	352,716	265,931	7,103	6,542	710	2,310
Dec. Qr.	41,628	8,637	353,754	251,829	6,584	6,621	871	3,017
1959: Mar. Qr.	n.y.a.	8,415	393,846	261,201	5,566	5,714	625	2,047
June Qr.	n.y.a.	8,495	388,175	261,326	6,834	6,715	685	2,062

\* Excludes services to Sydney operated by B.O.A.C., C.P.A., P.A.A., K.L.M., T.A.I., A.I.I.A., and S.A.A.

† Includes a proportion of intrastate traffic.

## No. 47. State Railways\* of New South Wales: Finances and Traffic—Annually

Year ended 30th June	Capital Expenditure at 30th June	Revenue		Working Expenses	Capital Charges		Total Expenditure	Surplus or Deficit (—)	Passenger Journeys	Goods Carried (excluding Livestock)
		Earnings	Grants from Consolidated Revenue		Interest, Exchange etc.	Sinking Fund				
£ thousand										
1954	223,802	74,569	1,800	67,225	7,108	1,882	76,215	154	278.9	19.4
1955	233,773	73,361	1,800	67,940	7,629	1,944	77,513	— 2,352	281.4	18.7
1956	250,144	75,386	1,800	74,212	8,551	2,049	84,812	— 7,626	280.5	18.1
1957	260,278	78,689	1,800	74,541	9,703	2,039	86,283	— 5,794	263.1	18.1
1958	270,912	74,433	1,800	71,555	10,695	2,168	84,418	— 8,185	258.6	17.8
1959	280,930	75,931	1,800	70,333	11,543	2,304	84,180	— 6,449	254.1	19.0

\* Length of lines open at 30th June, 1959 was 6,103 miles.

## No. 48. State Railways of New South Wales: Finances and Traffic—Quarterly

Quarter	Earnings		Working Expenses*	Passenger Journeys	Goods Carried (excluding Livestock)
	£ thousand	Thousands		Thousands	
1957: June Qr.	19,441		18,533	66,274	4,470
September Qr.	19,394		18,484	65,967	4,697
December Qr.	18,827		18,115	64,294	4,457
1958: March Qr.	17,742		17,363	63,775	4,232
June Qr.	18,470		18,572	64,573	4,416
September Qr.	18,672		17,856	64,292	4,635
December Qr.	19,624		17,888	62,930	4,772
1959: March Qr.	18,575		17,024	63,022	4,507
June Qr.	19,060		18,334	63,811	5,065
September Qr.	20,365		17,922	63,717	3,423

\* Including proportion of sinking fund for retirement of assets which in Table 47 is classified as "Sinking Fund".

## No. 49. State Tramways and Omnibuses: Finances

Year ended 30th June	Capital Cost at 30th June		Revenue			Expenditure			Surplus or Deficit (—)
			Metropolitan		Newcastle	Total	Operating Expenses	Current Depreciation and Capital Charges	
	Trams	Buses	Trams	Buses	Buses	£ thousand			
£ thousand									
1954	7,579	8,526	5,542	4,809	1,224	11,575	13,632	1,020	— 3,077
1955	6,771	8,710	5,227	5,017	1,231	11,475	13,657	1,106	— 3,288
1956	6,564	9,143	4,704	5,147	1,216	11,067	14,017	1,188	— 4,138
1957	6,349	10,420	5,887	6,830	1,543	14,260	14,215	1,214	— 1,169
1958	5,891	11,933	4,713	7,620	1,488	13,821	13,872	1,396	— 1,447
1959	5,609	13,004	2,960	8,871	1,429	13,260	13,603	1,528	— 1,871

## No. 50. State Tramways and Omnibuses: Traffic

Year ended 30th June	Number of Passengers*						Omnibus Mileage		
	Metropoli- tan	Newcastle	Total				Metropoli- tan	Newcastle	Total
			Trams	Buses	Trams and Buses				
Thousands									
1954	375,115	40,593	203,508	212,200	415,708	25,363	6,466		31,829
1955	369,164	40,676	191,958	217,882	409,840	26,801	6,305		33,106
1956	355,750	39,747	174,954	220,543	395,497	27,655	6,332		33,987
1957	293,082	31,211	144,718	179,575	324,293	26,873	5,995		32,868
1958	280,371	29,716	116,016	194,071	310,087	29,398	5,736		35,134
1959	264,208	28,649	69,320	223,537	292,857	34,051	5,738		39,789

\* These figures relate to all passengers carried, including those transported on the Sydney Harbour Bridge section only.

## No. 51. Motor Vehicles on Register\* in New South Wales

At end of Month	Cars		Tourist Vehicles	Omni-buses	Lorries, etc.†	Total of foregoing	Motor Cycles and Scooters	Tractors ‡	Trailers
	Taxicabs, Hire Cars	Other							
1954: June	4,446	393,951	110	3,457	210,142	612,106	42,451	10,176	37,853
1955: June	4,524	437,372	111	3,566	223,676	669,249	39,787	12,105	42,356
1956: June	4,564	478,833	105	3,586	238,823	725,911	37,039	14,371	48,117
1957: June	4,611	511,330	100	3,685	251,795	771,521	35,567	16,682	54,863
1958: June	4,588	549,900	81	3,849	266,414	824,832	34,581	16,318	62,359
1959: March	4,602	578,229	82	3,975	280,565	867,453	33,411	17,242	69,098
April	4,604	581,361	83	3,980	282,781	872,809	33,195	17,413	69,710
May	4,603	583,101	83	3,995	284,841	876,623	32,848	17,518	70,190
June	4,601	585,091	82	3,997	286,616	880,387	32,575	17,622	70,716
July	4,600	587,876	81	4,020	288,970	885,547	32,284	17,767	71,317
August	4,597	590,900	84	4,039	290,192	889,812	32,098	17,889	72,085
September	4,593	594,598	84	4,055	292,666	895,996	31,925	18,001	72,961
October	4,590	598,384	84	4,080	294,983	902,121	31,738	18,199	73,902

\* Excludes vehicles of the Defence Services.

† Lorries, Utilities, Vans, Station Wagons, etc.

‡ Tractors used solely on farms are not registered.

## No. 52. Public Passenger Motor Vehicles Registered in New South Wales

At end of month	Metropolitan and Newcastle				Other Districts				Tourist Vehicles, all Districts	Total, New South Wales
	Omni-buses	Taxi-cabs	Hire Cars	Total	Omni-buses	Taxi-cabs	Hire Cars	Total		
1954: June	2,064	2,321	489	4,874	1,393	1,243	393	3,029	110	8,013
1955: June	2,123	2,479	368	4,970	1,443	1,274	403	3,120	111	8,201
1956: June	2,122	2,567	331	5,020	1,464	1,275	391	3,130	105	8,255
1957: June	2,197	2,624	318	5,139	1,488	1,286	383	3,157	100	8,396
1958: June	2,334	2,647	280	5,261	1,515	1,290	371	3,176	81	8,518
1959: March	2,390	2,656	284	5,330	1,585	1,295	367	3,247	82	8,659
April	2,399	2,656	285	5,340	1,581	1,296	367	3,244	83	8,667
May	2,407	2,657	286	5,350	1,588	1,296	364	3,248	83	8,681
June	2,409	2,659	279	5,347	1,588	1,299	364	3,251	82	8,680
July	2,430	2,660	278	5,368	1,590	1,299	363	3,252	81	8,701
August	2,446	2,659	278	5,383	1,593	1,298	362	3,253	84	8,720
September	2,459	2,659	275	5,393	1,596	1,298	361	3,255	84	8,732
October	2,481	2,659	273	5,413	1,599	1,297	361	3,257	84	8,754

## No. 53. New and Old Vehicles Registered\* in New South Wales: Types

Period	Cars			Tourist Vehicles	Omni-buses	Lorries, etc.†	Total of foregoing	Motor Cycles and Scooters	Tractors ‡	Trailers
	Taxi-cabs, Hire Cars	Other	Total							
NEW VEHICLES REGISTERED										
Year: 1954-55	856	55,388	56,244	1	97	24,776	81,118	3,437	1,736	5,808
1955-56	839	55,339	56,178	6	75	25,913	82,172	2,971	1,609	6,628
1956-57	716	50,820	51,536	4	127	22,332	73,999	2,919	1,372	7,869
1957-58	1,056	56,270	57,326	16	169	27,060	84,571	3,140	1,067	9,900
1958-59	1,072	57,230	58,302	8	246	34,103	92,659	2,690	1,266	10,988
1958: June Qr.	350	14,999	15,349	9	48	7,398	22,804	751	229	2,027
Sept. Qr.	281	14,608	14,889	2	58	8,075	23,024	696	256	2,254
Dec. Qr.	276	15,808	16,084	2	65	8,619	24,770	705	329	3,731
1959: Mar. Qr.	241	12,995	13,236	1	51	7,895	21,183	681	315	2,745
June Qr.	274	13,819	14,093	3	72	9,514	23,682	608	366	2,258
Sept. Qr.	339	16,118	16,457	2	65	10,660	27,184	558	353	2,660
OLD VEHICLES RE-REGISTERED (AFTER LAPSE OF REGISTRATION)										
Year: 1954-55	1,292	16,818	18,110	18	206	14,735	33,069	7,115	1,113	2,133
1955-56	1,240	18,672	19,912	10	187	14,797	34,906	7,391	1,652	2,265
1956-57	1,218	20,514	21,732	17	221	15,418	37,388	7,492	1,630	2,197
1957-58	1,205	20,384	21,589	15	226	16,284	38,114	6,797	1,118	2,449
1958-59	888	21,316	22,204	17	245	17,617	40,083	6,263	1,687	3,085
1958: June Qr.	303	4,810	5,113	4	60	4,065	9,242	1,542	328	539
Sept. Qr.	257	5,433	5,690	...	48	4,254	9,992	1,656	357	555
Dec. Qr.	203	5,510	5,713	2	47	5,157	10,919	1,709	505	833
1959: Mar. Qr.	199	4,838	5,037	9	65	3,961	9,072	1,506	413	1,012
June Qr.	229	5,535	5,764	6	85	4,245	10,100	1,392	412	685
Sept. Qr.	261	6,041	6,302	1	58	4,790	11,151	1,479	351	726

\* Excludes vehicles of the Defence Services.

† Lorries, Utilities, Vans, Station Wagons, etc.

‡ Tractors used solely on farms are not registered.

## No. 54. New Motor Vehicles Registered in New South Wales: Makes

Make of Vehicles	Year ended 30th June				1958		1959		
	1956	1957	1958	1959	Sept. Qr.	Dec. Qr.	Mar. Qr.	June Qr.	Sept. Qr.
NEW MOTOR CARS REGISTERED									
Austin: 8.3 and 9.8 h.p.	1,655	828	133	...	...	...	...	...	230
13.2 and 14.4 h.p. ..	2,175	1,934	2,516	2,436	593	712	624	507	723
23.4 h.p. ..	431	1,035	804	400	128	139	63	70	80
Other ..	105	11	19	44	1	15	15	13	6
Chevrolet ..	806	568	645	455	139	130	106	80	271
Chrysler ..	1	113	1,077	829	165	182	250	232	213
Chrysler-Plymouth ..	1,180	435	73	99	43	27	3	26	34
De Soto ..	533	223	22	32	14	7	...	11	5
Dodge ..	961	437	55	80	32	15	3	30	44
Ford: 10 h.p. ...	2,134	1,452	1,172	1,048	253	314	256	225	225
15.6 and 16.9 h.p. ..	936	936	605	458	104	121	101	132	121
23.4 and 25.4 h.p. ..	3,367	3,115	4,596	5,632	1,296	1,632	1,346	1,358	1,558
Customline ..	3,063	1,573	1,629	1,302	362	280	248	412	261
Hillman ..	1,989	1,526	1,707	1,459	304	299	437	419	485
Holden ..	16,329	20,244	24,264	23,652	6,310	6,762	5,079	5,501	6,142
Morris: 8.3 and 9.8 h.p. ..	4,250	3,474	4,357	2,385	702	682	507	494	454
13.2 h.p. ..	2,296	1,198	857	1,883	415	554	472	442	1,053
Other ..	61	1,032	366	204	76	67	30	31	34
Peugeot ..	996	861	518	524	150	120	135	119	96
Renault ..	949	793	838	599	136	164	159	140	93
Simca ..	214	347	728	672	218	173	165	116	388
Standard: 8.3 h.p. ..	597	1	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
9.8 h.p. ..	2,296	1,135	1,342	1,481	344	386	306	445	339
Other ..	1,071	1,318	486	834	126	165	260	283	256
Vauxhall: 15.6 h.p. ...	352	245	1,239	1,437	458	357	312	310	402
23.4 h.p. ..	2,208	1,566	841	1,235	320	257	334	324	327
Volkswagen ..	2,511	3,624	4,193	5,634	1,381	1,585	1,221	1,447	1,598
Other ..	2,712	1,512	2,244	3,488	819	939	804	926	1,019
Total Cars ..	56,178	51,536	57,326	58,302	14,889	16,084	13,236	14,093	16,457
NEW LORRIES, UTILITIES, VANS, STATION WAGGONS, ETC. REGISTERED									
Austin ..	2,126	1,452	1,229	975	335	224	214	202	220
Bedford ..	1,533	850	931	1,365	311	375	288	391	465
Chevrolet ..	338	205	130	105	23	37	23	22	18
De Soto ..	257	292	242	27	12	12	3	...	...
Dodge ..	596	599	494	614	73	218	150	173	161
Plymouth ..	2	154	64	50	14	18	16	2	1
Fargo ..	774	389	232	71	38	20	9	4	4
Ford ..	2,766	2,331	2,867	3,586	864	914	818	990	1,138
Holden ..	6,162	6,884	12,668	17,185	4,048	4,393	4,006	4,738	5,454
International ..	2,280	2,115	1,513	1,752	499	420	331	502	496
Landrover ..	1,288	1,103	829	586	161	124	153	148	161
Morris ..	2,047	1,451	1,597	1,535	459	362	377	337	339
Standard ..	1,535	1,151	928	1,799	314	526	428	531	562
Vauxhall ..	949	469	254	6	3	2	1	...	...
Volkswagen ..	774	1,091	1,166	1,124	291	259	256	318	316
Other ..	2,486	1,796	1,916	3,323	630	715	822	1,156	1,325
Total Lorries, etc.	25,913	22,332	27,060	34,103	8,075	8,619	7,895	9,514	10,660

## No. 55. Road Accident Casualties, New South Wales

Period	Motor Drivers	Motor Cyclists	Pedal Cyclists	Passengers	Pedestrians	Other	Total
KILLED							
Year: 1938-39	66	66	80	164	164	12	552
1954-55	147	116	44	223	268	...	798
1955-56	165	91	44	230	273	5	808
1956-57	188	88	34	208	250	6	774
1957-58	192	60	30	250	261	2	795
1958-59	228	68	34	228	271	4	833
1958: June Qr.	55	15	7	65	71	...	213
Sept. Qr.	56	18	13	44	75	...	206
Dec. Qr.	67	20	5	53	64	2	211
1959: Mar. Qr.	42	17	5	64	47	1	176
June Qr.	63	13	11	67	85	1	240
Sept. Qr.	55	15	13	47	89	...	219
INJURED							
Year: 1938-39	1,047	938	1,297	2,945	2,045	116	8,388
1954-55	3,567	2,040	1,105	5,970	3,241	36	15,959
1955-56	4,119	1,912	1,078	6,608	3,283	47	17,047
1956-57	4,325	1,917	1,273	6,573	3,205	28	17,321
1957-58	5,247	1,896	1,295	7,590	3,257	93	19,378
1958-59	5,600	1,831	1,183	7,723	3,477	40	19,854
1958: June Qr.	1,337	482	328	2,075	908	8	5,138
Sept. Qr.	1,303	437	301	1,671	861	12	4,585
Dec. Qr.	1,542	526	276	2,130	892	4	5,370
1959: Mar. Qr.	1,244	437	292	1,930	707	7	4,617
June Qr.	1,511	431	314	1,992	1,017	17	5,282
Sept. Qr.	1,529	401	272	1,877	956	8	5,043

## No. 56. Oversea and Interstate Shipping, New South Wales

These statistics, compiled from records of the Department of Customs and Excise exclude war vessels, cable-laying vessels, yachts, and vessels engaged only in intrastate trade.

Year ended 30th June	Vessels Entered		Cargoes Discharged				Cargoes Shipped						
	No.	Net Tonnage	Oversea		Interstate		Oversea	Interstate					
			Weight	Measure- ment *	Weight	Measure- ment *							
			Thousand tons										
1939	3,319	11,242	1,179	1,112	3,167	676	1,679	359	2,736	672			
1949	2,157	7,944	1,737	1,112	2,336	344	1,866	422	3,089	347			
1950	2,242	8,757	2,254	1,311	2,694	282	1,576	424	2,791	306			
1951	2,203	8,596	2,706	1,497	3,100	342	1,173	421	2,778	332			
1952	2,324	8,972	2,981	1,646	3,371	329	861	391	3,359	382			
1953	2,563	9,357	2,290	732	4,124	339	1,339	403	3,419	371			
1954	2,796	10,080	2,603	1,148	3,991	414	1,631	375	3,685	433			
1955	2,847	10,478	3,126	1,329	4,511	350	1,178	452	3,629	399			
1956	2,932	10,726	3,312	1,362	4,946	337	1,337	448	3,502	286			
1957	3,042	11,023	3,777	1,209	5,190	196	1,882	389	3,710	236			
1958	3,313	12,031	4,565	1,251	5,483	268	1,806	380	3,887	255			
1959	3,412	12,535	5,051	1,069	5,175	236	1,913	354	3,949	217			

\* One ton measurement = 40 cubic feet.

## No. 57. Oversea, Interstate, and Intrastate Shipping at Principal Ports of New South Wales

Source: Maritime Services Board of New South Wales

Year ended 30th June	Sydney				Newcastle				Port Kembla			
	Vessels Entered		Cargoes		Vessels Entered		Cargoes		Vessels Entered		Cargoes	
	No.	Net Tonnage	Dis- charged	Shipped	No.	Net Tonnage	Dis- charged	Shipped	No.	Net Tonnage	Dis- charged	Shipped
			Thous.	Thous. tons			Thous.	Thous. tons			Thous.	Thous. tons
1953	4,163	8,540	5,204	2,022	2,283	3,497	2,299	4,582	540	1,626	2,038	867
1954	4,538	9,357	6,142	2,293	2,370	3,665	2,210	5,051	534	1,586	2,192	998
1955	4,399	9,702	6,674	2,077	2,261	3,516	2,036	4,714	611	1,885	2,785	831
1956	4,361	9,519	6,464	2,128	2,457	3,775	2,562	4,761	578	1,778	2,517	790
1957	4,167	9,468	5,995	2,041	2,348	4,041	2,877	5,262	636	1,983	2,685	952
1958	4,192	9,788	6,432	1,625	2,441	4,336	2,847	5,598	686	2,048	3,010	981
1959	4,347	10,531	6,463	2,061	2,425	4,530	2,840	5,107	736	2,260	3,034	1,046

## No. 58. Oversea Trade in Merchandise, New South Wales and Australia

Period	New South Wales		Australia				Excess of Exports	
	Imports	Exports	Imports	Exports				
				Wool	Other	Total		
£A million f.o.b.								
Year: 1953-54	277.9	249.3	678.6	410.4	401.5	811.9	133.3	
1954-55	343.5	206.9	841.0	353.1	404.9	758.0	(—) 83.0	
1955-56	334.2	217.2	818.3	337.5	433.3	770.8	(—) 47.5	
1956-57	312.1	278.1	716.7	483.7	489.3	973.0	256.3	
1957-58	350.1	224.0	789.3	373.4	436.9	810.3	21.0	
1958-59	350.6	218.0	794.4	302.4	504.3	806.7	12.3	
1957: June Qr.	83.6	72.8	185.8	133.4	122.2	255.6	69.8	
Sept. Qr.	87.4	54.9	195.5	80.8	122.4	203.2	7.7	
Dec. Qr.	87.2	69.3	198.0	127.7	119.7	247.4	49.4	
1958: Mar. Qr.	90.1	55.6	198.9	96.5	91.1	187.6	(—) 11.3	
June Qr.	85.4	44.2	196.9	68.4	103.7	172.1	(—) 24.8	
Sept. Qr.	88.6	41.2	202.2	50.4	114.0	164.4	(—) 37.8	
Dec. Qr.	83.1	63.5	194.9	89.0	126.8	215.8	20.9	
1959: Mar. Qr.	87.9	53.8	191.8	80.6	126.3	206.9	15.1	
June Qr.	91.0	59.5	205.5	82.4	137.2	219.6	14.1	
Sept. Qr.p	90.4	57.4	205.7	65.5	134.9	200.4	(—) 5.3	

## No. 59. Oversea Trade in Merchandise, New South Wales: by Countries

Country of Origin or Destination	Imports				Exports			
	Year ended 30th June		Quarter ended 30th September		Year ended 30th June		Quarter ended 30th September	
	1958	1959p	1958	1959p	1958	1959p	1958	1959p
£A thousand								
United Kingdom	140,306	130,432	34,029	31,029	32,695	41,558	7,975	8,519
Borneo	6,231	8,498	2,009	1,935	216	274	65	108
Canada	10,771	10,664	2,786	2,646	662	1,119	188	347
Ceylon	3,581	3,718	1,148	968	1,784	2,285	488	1,263
India and Pakistan	7,784	7,888	1,874	2,119	3,294	1,783	437	1,425
Hong Kong	1,593	1,894	525	555	1,704	1,928	422	568
Malaya and Singapore	5,682	6,027	1,600	2,280	6,350	7,034	1,416	1,485
New Guinea and Papua	4,071	5,145	1,267	1,606	9,676	9,383	2,307	2,445
New Zealand	5,419	5,049	1,280	1,526	24,249	21,806	5,692	6,389
Union of South Africa	3,545	2,960	784	1,142	943	1,084	188	188
Other Commonwealth Countries	6,391	6,869	2,086	2,083	8,812	10,337	2,070	2,612
Total, Commonwealth Countries	195,374	189,144	49,388	47,889	90,385	98,591	21,248	25,349
Austria	1,920	1,418	493	351	747	625	38	47
Belgium-Luxemburg	2,969	2,940	733	713	11,641	9,035	1,517	2,196
Finland	1,025	1,193	255	377	24	9	1	1
France	4,340	4,045	1,060	1,057	21,219	14,446	2,323	3,098
Germany: Federal Republic	16,311	17,305	4,769	4,430	9,926	7,227	1,052	1,606
Italy	362	353	96	83	184	67	...	78
Netherlands	4,654	4,065	1,139	1,158	15,791	10,617	984	1,720
Norway	5,146	5,473	1,455	1,457	1,272	1,207	214	220
Sweden	1,981	1,241	422	307	24	11	4	8
Switzerland	5,400	5,665	1,634	1,681	304	182	73	55
Arabia	3,548	1,995	309	473	801	414	128	76
Iran (Persia)	3,305	5,243	1,213	904	79	106	14	1
China (Mainland)	1,398	1,659	344	627	1,267	7,673	1,488	1,290
Japan	11,687	14,794	3,485	4,518	38,979	35,507	6,915	10,959
Indonesia, Republic of	18,141	19,313	4,878	4,337	1,276	653	105	416
U.S.A.	53,930	56,028	12,083	14,856	10,316	15,073	2,039	5,851
Other Foreign Countries	7,157	6,814	1,594	2,130	18,461	15,005	2,927	4,177
Total, Foreign Countries	148,458	155,423	37,596	40,985	132,751	118,344	19,857	31,843
Country Not Disclosed Outside Packages	282	253	60	65	908	1,018	108	249
6,003	5,778	1,586	1,489	...	...	...	...	...
Total, All Countries	350,117	350,598	88,630	90,428	224,044	217,953	41,213	57,441

No. 60. Imports Oversea into New South Wales: Principal Items

Article Imported	Year ended 30th June				Quarter ended 30th September				
	Quantity		Value		Quantity		Value		
	1958	1959p	1958	1959p	1958p	1959p	1958p	1959p	
£A thousand									
Sausage Casings (including Synthetic) ..	...	...	800	593	...	...	160	147	
Fish—									
In tins .. . . .	Thous. lb.	7,790	7,356	1,377	1,441	1,395	1,393	271	264
Other .. . . .	Thous. lb.	15,955	15,302	1,437	1,445	3,272	4,681	316	456
Nuts, Edible .. . . .	Thous. lb.	10,791	9,997	817	723	2,997	3,483	217	233
Tea .. . . .	Thous. lb.	21,244	22,733	4,630	5,712	7,312	5,756	1,931	1,189
Coffee .. . . .	Thous. lb.	3,370	4,717	662	837	950	2,145	190	372
Cocoa, Cocoa Beans, etc. .. . . .	Thous. lb.	10,438	10,123	1,916	1,768	1,708	2,846	349	546
Hops .. . . .	Thous. lb.	426	957	140	292	1	...	...	...
Whisky .. . . .	Pf. gal.	398,239	453,029	1,086	1,246	121,386	150,137	330	409
Tobacco .. . . .	Thous. lb.	26,065	22,590	8,725	8,008	5,307	5,649	1,644	1,722
Cigarettes and Cigars .. . . .	Thous. lb.	216	226	308	290	74	83	96	125
Hides and Skins .. . . .	Thous. gal.	...	...	454	398	...	...	79	125
Olive Oil .. . . .	Thous. gal.	244	243	344	324	59	57	75	58
Peanut Oil .. . . .	Thous. gal.	1,627	1,390	1,047	697	308	304	181	145
Linseed Oil .. . . .	Thous. gal.	1,832	1,677	1,102	1,072	323	485	187	270
Copra .. . . .	Cwt.	724,516	690,381	2,486	2,966	166,060	154,035	566	791
Cotton, Raw .. . . .	Thous. lb.	21,289	19,654	2,986	2,487	4,306	3,981	577	506
Gums and Resins .. . . .	...	...	859	744	...	...	216	212	
Plastic Materials .. . . .	...	...	4,067	3,647	...	...	1,001	990	
Synthetic Fibres .. . . .	Thous. lb.	2,021	6,923	990	1,463	1,351	771	407	256
Yarns—									
Cotton .. . . .	Thous. lb.	2,711	2,266	1,266	1,000	571	564	250	230
Rayon, Nylon, etc. .. . .	Thous. lb.	5,747	4,664	2,964	1,899	1,850	1,276	729	439
Sewing Cottons and Threads .. . .	Thous. lb.	525	750	698	838	181	166	230	170
Bags and Sacks—									
Corn and Flour .. . . .	Thous. doz.	360	677	506	799	49	258	58	298
Woolpacks .. . . .	Doz.	125,091	175,026	852	1,029	42,273	50,928	273	293
Piece Goods—									
Knitted or Lockstitched .. . .	lb.	244,766	267,196	207	164	80,265	72,295	44	48
Not Knitted or Lockstitched—									
Cotton and Linen Thous. sq. yds.		135,556	131,445	18,880	17,555	30,298	35,802	4,842	4,914
Rayon, etc. .. . .	Thous. sq. yds.	12,001	10,828	3,464	3,055	3,036	3,395	870	842
Silk .. . .	Thous. sq. yds.	953	801	533	478	213	240	154	146
Woollen .. . .	Thous. sq. yds.	995	870	597	572	149	205	107	84
Hessian and Jute Pieces Thous. sq. yds.		26,769	30,681	1,361	1,444	7,084	6,417	332	251
Canvas and Duck Thous. sq. yds.		2,765	2,823	372	395	818	823	110	97
Other .. . .	Thous. sq. yds.	540	534	146	144	97	177	29	46
Furnishing, Technical and Treated Fabrics and Felts .. . . .	...	...	1,637	1,689	...	...	299	541	
Tyre Cord Fabric .. . . .	...	...	168	284	...	...	21	147	
Total Piece Goods .. . . .	...	...	27,365	25,780	...	...	6,808	7,116	
Furnishing, Drapery, etc. .. . . .	...	...	907	907	...	...	355	298	
Towels and Towelling .. . . .	...	...	661	568	...	...	186	156	
Apparel, Knitted and Other .. . . .	...	...	1,359	1,224	...	...	315	353	
Trimmings and Ornaments .. . . .	...	...	1,862	1,632	...	...	490	489	
Floor Coverings—									
Linoleum .. . .	Thous. sq. yds.	3,426	3,215	687	660	745	711	171	125
Carpets .. . .	Thous. sq. yds.	1,360	1,484	1,887	1,901	347	296	474	362
Petroleum Oils—									
Petroleum, Crude .. . .	Thous. gal.	815,894	932,587	24,917	27,357	200,795	230,884	6,126	6,506
Petroleum and Shale Spirit Thous. gal.		48,048	43,219	2,991	2,692	7,644	3,010	527	270
Kerosene (Power and Other) Thous. gal.		32,358	28,981	1,734	1,580	7,517	8,216	450	470
Residual, Solar, Diesel .. . .	Thous. gal.	581	114	28	5	35	51	1	2
Lubricating .. . .	Thous. gal.	15,034	17,478	2,144	2,364	5,252	4,100	713	572
Other .. . .	Thous. gal.	7,118	8,277	689	746	2,277	1,262	230	117
Total, Petroleum Oils Thous. gal.		919,033	1,030,656	32,503	34,744	223,520	247,523	8,047	7,937
Colour Pigments and Dyes .. . .	...	...	3,319	3,118	...	...	740	780	
Asbestos, Crude and Fibre .. . .	Central	309,865	328,185	1,003	1,035	108,188	92,301	365	273
Sulphur .. . .	Ton	42,191	28,567	544	353	3,714	8,920	48	108

## No. 60. Imports Oversea into New South Wales: Principal Items (continued)

Article Imported	Year ended 30th June				Quarter ended 30th September			
	Quantity		Value		Quantity		Value	
	1958	1959p	1958	1959p	1958p	1959p	1958p	1959p
£A thousand								
<b>Iron and Steel—</b>								
Plate and Sheet .. . . Ton	26,091	21,714	3,071	2,826	5,903	3,421	718	579
Bar and Rod .. . . Ton	5,022	5,877	832	780	3,728	664	273	150
Other .. . . Ton	24,628	28,644	3,466	3,274	6,091	12,736	842	1,047
<i>Total Iron and Steel</i> .. . . Ton	55,741	56,235	7,369	6,880	15,722	16,821	1,833	1,776
<b>Wire and Wire Manuf. (Excl. Elect.)</b> .. . .	...	...	813	725	...	...	229	145
Meters and Gauges .. . .	...	...	1,323	561	...	...	161	139
<b>Nickel and Nickel Alloys</b> .. . . Cwt.	14,603	13,263	606	535	977	4,649	47	184
<b>Aluminium and Alloys</b> .. . . Cwt.	214,104	285,043	3,021	3,543	47,478	78,105	619	969
<b>Copper: Pigs, Ingots, etc</b> .. . . Cwt.	30,993	46,835	399	733	3,199	21,290	39	344
<b>Cutlery</b> .. . .	...	...	...	961	924	...	294	249
<b>Hand Tools</b> .. . .	...	...	...	1,632	1,605	...	416	376
<b>Aircraft and Parts</b> .. . .	...	...	8,394	8,826	...	...	1,630	3,142
<b>Motor Cars, Trucks, and Buses*</b> —								
Assembled Vehicles, Complete No.	1,699	2,914	1,642	2,145	424	321	366	285
Components (Original Equipment and Replacement) .. . .	...	...	19,188	17,481	...	...	6,049	5,009
Rubber Tyres and Tubes .. . .	...	...	892	559	...	...	168	194
Motor Cycles and Motor Scooters .. . .	...	...	560	395	...	...	106	96
Tractors and Parts .. . .	...	...	5,589	4,063	...	...	1,187	1,149
Locomotives and Parts .. . .	...	...	1,320	570	...	...	113	61
<b>Refrigerating Appliances and Parts</b> .. . .	...	...	480	517	...	...	98	93
<b>Electrical Equipment—</b>								
Cable and Wire .. . . Cwt.	11,724	9,449	360	301	4,753	3,348	128	75
Transformers and Rectifiers .. . .	...	...	1,510	1,982	...	...	239	570
Radio and Television Equipment .. . .	...	...	3,370	3,477	...	...	1,010	1,028
Telephone and Telegraph Equipment .. . .	...	...	2,404	1,476	...	...	417	504
Heating and Cooking Appliances .. . .	...	...	382	357	...	...	85	52
Electric Motors and Parts .. . .	...	...	1,985	1,756	...	...	396	409
<b>Vacuum Cleaners and Parts</b> .. . .	...	...	455	263	...	...	59	83
Clothes Washing Machines .. . .	...	...	318	651	...	...	61	107
Adding Machines, Typewriters, etc .. . .	...	...	5,734	7,869	...	...	2,307	1,589
Textile Industries Machinery .. . .	...	...	4,218	3,094	...	...	891	684
Mining and Metallurgical Machinery .. . .	...	...	2,275	3,017	...	...	987	645
Earth Moving and Road Making Machinery .. . .	...	...	1,847	1,865	...	...	669	369
Metal-working Machinery .. . .	...	...	5,414	6,929	...	...	1,685	1,263
<b>Crude Rubber</b> .. . . Cwt.	271,619	284,157	3,387	3,562	84,453	103,036	912	1,629
<b>Crude Synthetic Rubber</b> .. . . Thous. lb.	22,733	21,142	2,110	1,964	5,127	6,254	523	616
<b>Timber—</b>								
Undressed .. . . Thous. sup. ft.	173,215	191,859	7,413	7,132	46,725	49,238	1,897	2,094
Other .. . .	...	...	600	531	...	...	170	135
Crockery .. . .	...	...	1,448	1,548	...	...	486	368
Glass and Glassware .. . .	...	...	2,249	2,347	...	...	585	787
<b>Pulp for Paper</b> .. . . Ton	22,019	30,783	1,325	1,722	10,155	10,022	572	522
<b>Printing Paper</b> .. . .	...	...	7,975	7,903	...	...	1,914	2,261
<b>Writing and Typewriting Paper</b> .. . . Cwt.	62,784	61,640	510	479	18,564	17,808	141	133
<b>Wrapping and Tissue Paper</b> .. . . Cwt.	228,505	227,939	2,623	2,456	51,595	66,492	561	702
<b>Books, Printed</b> .. . .	...	...	...	3,881	4,407	...	1,196	1,003
<b>Toys</b> .. . .	...	...	...	965	1,031	...	420	493
<b>Jewellery</b> .. . .	...	...	1,247	1,185	...	...	371	394
<b>Timepieces</b> .. . .	...	...	1,305	1,376	...	...	421	318
<b>Cinematograph Films</b> .. . . Thous. lin. ft.	105,051	80,786	1,809	1,760	16,159	21,164	332	447
<b>Surgical, Dental, and Veterinary Instruments and Materials</b> .. . .	...	...	1,463	1,398	...	...	340	394
<b>Drugs, Chemicals and Fertilizers—</b>								
Drugs and Medicinal Preparations .. . .	...	...	8,008	7,814	...	...	2,000	2,281
Perfumery and Toilet Preparations .. . .	...	...	468	500	...	...	142	182
Fertilizers .. . .	...	...	636	653	...	...	140	216
Other (Salts of Acids, etc) .. . .	...	...	10,758	11,653	...	...	2,828	3,317
<b>Arms, Ammunition, and Explosives</b> .. . .	...	...	2,408	2,654	...	...	559	1,303
<b>Bullion and Specie</b> .. . .	...	...	2,535	2,114	...	...	659	612
<b>Total, Imports Oversea</b> .. . .	...	...	352,653	352,712	...	...	89,289	91,040

\* Excludes vehicles imported as tourist property or as passengers' effects.

## No. 61. Exports Oversea from New South Wales: Principal Items of Australian Produce

Article Exported	Year ended 30th June				Quarter ended 30th September			
	Quantity		Value		Quantity		Value	
	1958	1959p	1958	1959p	1958	1959p	1958	1959p
	£A thousand							
<b>Meats—</b>								
Preserved by Cold Process—								
Beef and Veal .. . . .	Thous. Ib.	36,521	93,212	3,368	11,521	19,165	21,441	1,883
Mutton and Lamb .. . . .	Thous. Ib.	8,787	23,934	620	1,946	5,564	2,293	456
Other .. . . .				981	1,350	...	...	387
Preserved in Tins .. . . .	Thous. Ib.	15,754	15,382	2,088	2,074	4,333	3,168	606
Other Meats .. . . .				698	633	...	...	477
								174
								115
Butter .. . . .	Thous. Ib.	3,694	1,478	493	241	254	557	38
Processed Milk Products .. . . .	Thous. Ib.	22,040	39,040	2,839	3,754	6,993	4,908	846
Eggs in Shell .. . . .	Thous. doz.	4,376	2,490	718	385	876	364	145
Eggs not in Shell .. . . .	Thous. Ib.	8,815	6,427	919	625	1	1,169	68
							2	138
Wheat .. . . .	Thous. bushels	23	3,980	21	2,688	9	4,731	10
Flour .. . . .	Thous. Ib.	158,281	197,162	2,505	2,978	4,207	139,303	67
Total Wheat and Flour as thous. bushels of Wheat .. . . .		3,687	8,544	2,526	5,666	106	7,956	77
Bran, Pollard and Sharps .. . .	Thous. Ib.	19,454	58,306	343	668	9,070	59,652	22
Rice .. . . .	Cwt.	574,168	847,935	1,839	2,453	235,675	333,321	747
<b>Fruit—</b>								
Preserved in Liquid .. . . .	Thous. Ib.	14,899	12,016	1,123	852	3,085	3,290	230
Other .. . . .				364	188	...	...	46
Sugar, Refined .. . . .	Ton	4,098	4,254	305	240	1,709	1,496	67
<b>Hides and Skins—</b>								
Cattle and Calf .. . . .	Thous. Ib.	12,765	25,705	1,087	2,507	4,611	4,699	413
Sheep and Lamb .. . . .	Thous.	5,156	5,393	4,138	992	1,343	1,071	653
Other .. . . .				730	772	...	...	1,565
							292	337
<b>Wool—</b>								
Greasy .. . . .	Thous. Ib.	363,024	415,233	109,946	92,169	51,519	72,067	12,479
Scoured and Carbonised .. . . .	Thous. Ib.	25,588	24,851	9,560	6,597	5,527	7,401	1,555
Tops, Noils, Wastes .. . . .	Thous. Ib.	5,981	11,081	2,439	3,486	1,947	2,824	780
Total Wool—'000 Ib. as in the grease		432,098	493,250	121,945	102,273	67,822	94,392	14,823
Tallow, Inedible .. . . .	Ton	3,160	4,941	270	402	532	2,214	47
Colour Pigments and Dyes .. . . .				335	339	...	91	107
Paints and Varnishes .. . . .				286	307	...	...	85
Coal and Coke .. . . .	Ton	931,846	664,449	4,270	2,784	175,933	241,405	774
Titanium and Zircon Concentrates .. . . .	Ton	30,844	38,043	1,236	986	6,496	10,826	270
Lead Ores and Concentrates .. . . .	Ton	16,681	17,425	806	730	4,403	3,970	176
Zinc Ores and Concentrates .. . . .	Ton	29,275	36,052	264	362	9,804	8,153	78
<b>Iron and Steel—</b>								
Bar and Rod .. . . .	Ton	18,945	31,129	913	1,574	6,520	9,017	322
Plate and Sheet .. . . .	Ton	158,819	164,234	11,014	10,334	36,272	53,615	2,336
Pipes, Tubes and Fittings .. . . .	Ton	40,834	69,913	3,167	4,966	16,108	19,936	1,097
Other .. . . .	Ton	64,403	67,299	2,163	2,485	15,742	28,913	812
Copper .. . . .	Cwt.	21,204	24,043	441	497	8,669	6,816	175
Zinc and Spelter .. . . .	Ton	1,857	2,774	286	237	320	400	42
Lead .. . . .	Ton	1,260	550	132	50	78	122	11
Wire and Wire Manuf. (Except Electrical) .. . . .				2,031	2,046	...	...	591
Railway and Tramway Vehicles .. . . .				881	622	...	...	423
<b>Electrical Machinery and Appliances—</b>								
Batteries and Accumulators .. . . .				365	382	...	...	120
Other .. . . .				1,492	1,250	...	...	387
Motive Power Machinery .. . . .				552	352	...	...	125
Agricultural and Dairy Farm Machinery .. . . .				320	328	...	...	124
Mining and Road-making Machinery .. . . .				969	754	...	...	80
Metal-working Machinery .. . . .				183	170	...	...	182
Refrigerating Appliances and Parts .. . . .				268	254	...	...	228
Rubber Manufactures .. . . .				433	388	...	...	51
Leather and Manufactures .. . . .				1,424	1,657	...	...	54
Timber, Undressed .. . . .	Thous. sup. ft.	22,964	15,453	1,489	986	4,498	4,360	101
Books, Printed .. . . .				1,147	910	...	...	128
Stationery and Paper Manufactures .. . . .				327	247	...	...	77
Surgical and Scientific Instruments .. . . .				883	856	...	...	77
Drugs and Chemicals .. . . .				3,248	3,456	...	...	223
Plastic Materials .. . . .				477	465	...	...	278
Bullion and Specie .. . . .				6,476	3,411	...	...	940
Total, Exports Oversea (Aust. Produce)		...	220,720	210,111	...	...	38,782	54,788

### No. 62. Retail Trade: Value of Retail Sales in New South Wales

The figures shown below represent the sales of goods (as distinct from services, repairs accommodation, entertainment, meals, etc.) by establishments selling retail goods from fixed premises, and include the retail sales of establishments principally engaged in wholesale, manufacturing, or servicing activities. The figures are estimates based on sample surveys.

Commodity Group	Year ended June		1958			1959		
	1958	1959	June	Sept.	Dec.	Mar.	June	Sept.
			Qr.	Qr.	Qr.	Qr.	Qr.	Qr.
£million								
Groceries	144.2	147.0	36.5	36.1	38.7	35.6	36.6	38.7
Butchers Meat	67.1	68.9	17.0	16.8	17.3	16.7	18.1	18.1
Other Food*	115.2	123.6	27.8	28.5	32.9	32.7	29.5	31.0
Total Foodstuffs	326.5	339.5	81.3	81.4	88.9	85.0	84.2	87.8
Beer, Wine and Spirits	102.1	97.1	23.4	22.7	27.0	24.9	22.5	23.4
Clothing and Drapery	176.0	156.2	45.4	36.9	45.9	31.7	41.7	39.1
Footwear								
Hardware, China and Glassware†	60.0	65.5	14.4	15.6	18.9	15.0	16.0	16.9
Electrical Goods‡	56.1	63.8	14.2	16.4	17.9	14.4	15.1	16.3
Furniture and Floor Coverings	36.4	38.6	8.9	9.7	11.1	8.5	9.3	10.3
Chemists' Goods	39.5	30.3	41.5	9.4	10.6	9.4	10.1	10.0
Newspapers, Books and Stationery	106.5	175.7						
Other Goods¶				7.0	8.7	7.3	7.3	7.5
				26.2	31.4	23.9	25.0	26.3
Total (excluding Motor Vehicles, etc.)	932.8	961.1	229.1	230.9	267.4	225.2	237.6	244.0
Motor Vehicles, Parts, Petrol, etc.§	243.2	269.5	62.1	66.0	71.1	63.9	68.5	73.9
Total, All Groups	1,176.0	1,230.6	291.2	296.9	338.5	289.1	306.1	317.9

\* Includes fresh fruit and vegetables, confectionery, soft drinks, ice cream, cakes, pastry, cooked provisions, fish, etc., but excludes some delivered milk and bread.

† Excludes basic building materials (e.g., timber, roofing tiles, bricks, etc.).

‡ Includes radios, television and accessories, domestic refrigerators, etc.

§ Excludes farm machinery and implements, earth-moving equipment, etc.

¶ Includes tobacco, cigarettes, etc., grain and produce, jewellery, office equipment, etc.

### No. 63. Retail Trade: Principal City Stores, Sydney

Source: Retail Trader's Association of New South Wales

Period	Value of Net Sales								Value of Stock	
	Piece Goods		Women's Wear	Men's and Boys' Wear	Footwear	Total, Clothing and Piece Goods	Furniture*	Hardware		
	Household	Dress								
Percentage increase (+) or decrease (—) compared with corresponding period of previous year										
Year: 1954	+ 18	— 1	+ 8	+ 12	+ 4	+ 8	+ 6	+ 8	+ 8.0 + 9.4	
1955	— 1	— 10	+ 4	+ 8	+ 5	+ 4	+ 2	+ 3	+ 3.5 + 9.1	
1956	+ 6	— 7	— 1	...	+ 2	...	— 1	— 1	+ 0.2 + 1.4	
1957	— 4	— 3	+ 1	+ 1	+ 1	...	+ 4	+ 5	+ 1.6 + 2.9	
1958	+ 1	— 7	— 1	+ 2	+ 2	— 1	+ 11	+ 5	+ 3.2 + 0.7	
1958: June	+ 15	+ 1	+ 11	+ 14	+ 11	+ 11	+ 20	+ 9	+ 12.9 + 1.2	
July	+ 2	— 2	+ 2	+ 3	+ 4	+ 2	+ 16	+ 1	+ 5.4 + 1.0	
August	— 3	— 3	— 3	— 15	— 1	— 6	+ 15	+ 7	— 0.1 + 1.9	
September	+ 8	— 11	— 1	+ 21	+ 4	+ 5	+ 17	+ 3	+ 8.0 + 0.4	
October	+ 9	— 11	— 1	...	— 1	— 1	+ 10	+ 4	+ 2.1 + 0.7	
November	— 9	— 12	— 1	— 2	— 6	— 3	...	— 1	— 2.8 — 2.5	
1959: June	+ 5	— 3	+ 5	+ 3	+ 8	+ 4	...	...	+ 3.1 + 6.7	
July	— 7	— 10	+ 2	+ 10	+ 8	— 2	— 5	+ 1	— 1.1 + 5.5	
August	— 4	— 9	+ 9	+ 1	+ 11	+ 5	— 3	— 4	+ 1.5 + 5.9	
September	— 2	— 7	+ 14	— 3	+ 15	+ 7	— 6	+ 5	+ 3.4 + 2.3	
October	— 7	— 17	— 2	— 4	...	— 4	— 6	— 4	+ 2.9 — 0.3	
November	+ 5	— 11	+ 9	+ 5	+ 7	+ 6	+ 7	+ 6	+ 6.2 n.y.a.	

\* Includes television sets.

† Includes foregoing items and all other goods sold by these stores.

### No. 64. New Retail Hire Purchase Agreements by Finance Houses, N.S.W.\*

The figures shown below relate to agreements made by finance houses which finance the sale of goods by retail, but do not retail goods themselves.

Period	Household and Personal Goods			Motor Vehicles, Tractors, etc.		
	Agreements	Value of Goods†	Amount Financed‡	Agreements	Value of Goods†	Amount Financed‡
	No.	£ thousand		No.	£ thousand	
Year: 1954-55	247,650	20,067	16,385	96,803	67,208	39,026
1955-56	254,244	19,983	16,335	105,016	74,189	43,869
1956-57	242,860	19,070	15,306	107,409	77,541	46,678
1957-58	300,328	34,979	28,342	124,864	91,814	55,583
1958-59	325,535	37,515	31,004	142,602	105,674	65,836
1958: April	26,067	3,045	2,471	11,092	8,343	4,984
May	27,705	3,630	2,965	11,889	8,918	5,412
June	25,209	3,081	2,518	10,905	8,188	4,993
July	27,355	3,331	2,719	11,848	8,586	5,241
August	25,339	3,184	2,619	11,401	8,292	5,178
September	25,245	3,197	2,639	12,272	8,897	5,465
1959: April	27,027	3,142	2,605	12,740	9,876	6,115
May	25,628	2,927	2,456	11,634	8,698	5,427
June	25,352	2,771	2,297	12,519	9,065	5,824
July	26,600	2,925	2,451	13,168	9,455	5,971
August	26,352	2,774	2,298	12,957	9,566	6,081
September	26,833	2,738	2,279	14,249	10,792	6,858
Period	Plant and Machinery			Total, All Groups		
	Agreements	Value of Goods†	Amount Financed‡	Agreements	Value of Goods†	Amount Financed‡
	No.	£ thousand		No.	£ thousand	
Year: 1954-55	5,679	3,394	2,083	350,132	90,669	57,494
1955-56	7,875	5,480	3,430	367,135	99,652	63,634
1956-57	7,829	5,535	3,538	358,098	102,146	65,522
1957-58	8,210	5,860	3,786	433,402	132,653	87,711
1958-59	11,127	8,315	5,385	479,264	151,504	102,225
1958: April	708	437	284	37,867	11,825	7,739
May	837	563	363	40,431	13,111	8,740
June	570	379	243	36,684	11,648	7,754
July	725	452	300	39,928	12,369	8,260
August	776	558	367	37,516	12,034	8,164
September	827	595	384	38,344	12,689	8,488
1959: April	1,053	796	504	40,820	13,814	9,224
May	899	667	436	38,161	12,292	8,319
June	890	634	416	38,761	12,470	8,537
July	1,110	586	359	40,878	12,966	8,781
August	840	646	416	40,149	12,986	8,795
September	976	800	546	42,058	14,330	9,683

\* Includes Australian Capital Territory.

† Value at net cash or list price, excluding hiring charges and insurance.

‡ Excludes hiring charges and insurance.

### No. 65. Balances Outstanding\* on Retail Hire Purchase Agreements by Finance Houses, N.S.W. and Australia

End of Month	New South Wales (including A.C.T.)				Australia			
	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60
	£ million							
July	79.2	85.8	113.9	143.0	214.1	238.3	301.4	357.8
August	79.8	86.7	116.7	145.0	216.6	241.3	306.4	362.1
September	80.6	88.4	119.9	147.5	219.5	245.0	313.6	368.5
October	81.5	90.3	123.1	150.6p	223.0	249.7	321.2	376.5p
November	82.3	92.8	126.5	153.2p	227.0	256.6	329.0	385.0p
December	83.6	96.2	130.3		231.0	265.4	338.1	
January	83.8	98.1	131.7		232.0	270.3	340.8	
February	83.6	100.1	133.0		231.9	274.8	342.2	
March	83.6	102.9	134.5		232.2	279.6	344.2	
April	83.9	105.5	137.2		233.1	285.7	348.6	
May	84.3	109.2	139.1		234.6	292.8	351.9	
June	85.1	111.3	141.0		236.4	296.6	354.4	

\* Includes hiring charges and insurance, and the balances outstanding on agreements originally made by retailers but subsequently assigned to finance houses.

## No. 66. Volume of Money and International Reserves, Australia

Month	Australian Notes Issued*		Volume of Money				International Reserves †
	Held by Public	Total	Notes and Coin held by Public	Deposits of Public with All Trading Banks†	Deposits with All Savings Banks	Total	
	£A million						
1953: June	291.9	328.0	320	1,375	947	2,642	561.2
1954: June	305.8	344.5	335	1,469	1,010	2,814	570.7
1955: June	322.5	363.1	352	1,473	1,073	2,898	428.3
1956: June	330.4	374.3	361	1,421	1,141	2,923	355.0
1957: June	337.7	381.6	369	1,520	1,227	3,116	566.5
1958: June	342.6	387.9	374	1,518	1,297	3,189	525.4
1958: December	367.0	421.8	393	1,586	1,337	3,316	500.0
1959: January	349.3	401.4	380	1,584	1,339	3,303	496.4
February	345.2	392.4	376	1,614	1,345	3,335	494.8
March	349.6	395.4	381	1,635	1,349	3,365	503.6
April	349.3	398.4	381	1,614	1,351	3,346	527.2
May	348.3	394.8	380	1,584	1,357	3,321	544.3
June	348.7	395.5	381	1,581	1,391	3,353	516.4
July	350.3	396.7	382	1,572	1,404	3,358	507.9
August	354.1	400.6	386	1,575	1,420	3,381	502.1
September	356.6	403.1	389	1,611	1,439	3,439	514.1
October	358.8	406.1	391	1,643	1,454	3,488	523.6
November	361.1	409.3	394	1,682	1,461	3,537	538.6
December	380.4	437.8	405	1,707	1,461	3,573	547.2

\* Averages of weekly figures.

† Excludes Government deposits and deposits of savings banks with trading banks.

‡ Net gold and foreign exchange holdings by official and banking institutions. June figures relate to end of month; figures for other months are for last Wednesday.

## No. 67. Savings Banks in New South Wales and Australia

End of Month	New South Wales			Australia			Loans, Advances, etc.	
	Active Accounts	Depositors' Balances		Depositors' Balances	Government and Municipal Securities *			
		C'wealth Savings Bank	Other Savings Banks		Total			
Thousands		£ million						
1948: June	2,013	237.0	...	237.0	681.3	n.a.	n.a.	
1949: June	2,072	244.5	...	244.5	714.2	n.a.	n.a.	
1950: June	2,138	258.9	...	258.9	762.1	n.a.	n.a.	
1951: June	2,194	284.5	...	284.5	837.4	n.a.	n.a.	
1952: June	2,247	304.5	...	304.5	891.9	n.a.	n.a.	
1953: June	2,279	319.1	...	319.1	947.5	n.a.	n.a.	
1954: June	2,308	339.8	...	339.8	1,010.1	n.a.	n.a.	
1955: June	2,337	358.6	...	358.6	1,073.4	n.a.	n.a.	
1956: June	2,462	363.7	22.9	386.6	1,141.0	852.3	181.9	
1957: June	2,609	363.4	58.8	422.2	1,227.4	905.2	202.1	
1958: June	2,740	367.4	81.6	449.0	1,296.8	943.9	228.1	
1958: December	2,786	371.0	94.7	465.7	1,337.4	967.0	246.5	
1959: January	2,804	371.3	96.8	468.1	1,338.6	971.8	247.1	
February	2,825	371.9	99.4	471.3	1,334.6	977.7	249.7	
March	2,839	371.8	101.2	473.0	1,349.3	981.8	252.4	
April	2,854	371.4	102.9	474.3	1,350.4	983.1	254.2	
May	2,866	371.2	105.7	476.9	1,357.2	985.8	256.6	
June	2,879	381.0	107.3	488.3	1,391.3	989.1	261.0	
July	2,889	382.5	110.8	493.3	1,403.9	997.9	263.7	
August	2,857	384.9	113.4	498.3	1,419.6	1,008.7	265.8	
September	2,875	388.1	117.2	505.3	1,439.3	1,021.4	268.6	
October	2,889	390.9	119.8	510.7	1,453.7	1,031.9	271.3	
November	2,901	391.6	122.0	513.6	1,461.2	1,044.4	274.5	

\* Includes Treasury Bills.

**Savings Certificates.** Sales of certificates were discontinued after 31st January, 1949. The net amount of Savings Certificates outstanding in Australia at 30th June, 1959 was £10.6 million. The last of the certificates will mature in 1961.

**No. 68. Trading Banks\*: Deposits and Assets in New South Wales and Australia**  
**Average of Weekly Figures**

Month	New South Wales		Australia						£ million
	Deposits	Advances	Deposits	Balances Due to Other Banks	Cash Items	Treasury Bills	Govt. and Municipal Securities	Special Accounts with C'wealth Bank	
<b>MAJOR PRIVATE TRADING BANKS</b>									
1953: June	448.6	243.7	1,239.0	3.5	76.6	100.5	115.7	300.8	601.8
1954: June	483.1	281.6	1,305.0	3.3	67.7	58.0	133.4	313.8	701.7
1955: June	475.6	342.5	1,307.2	4.6	65.4	27.8	124.6	245.8	817.7
1956: June	450.8	329.7	1,260.4	22.4	65.7	28.9	120.9	227.7	793.9
1957: June	492.4	327.6	1,362.1	10.1	56.1	15.9	168.4	300.4	766.2
1958: June	481.9	340.2	1,343.0	6.6	58.4	13.0	152.6	244.2	831.7
1959: June	496.5	322.3	1,379.0	4.7	52.5	15.8	219.1	214.4	791.2
July	493.2	328.9	1,375.9	3.2	54.3	18.1	212.6	213.4	805.4
August	495.1	324.2	1,375.4	3.0	53.8	24.6	216.2	213.4	803.1
September	506.5	324.9	1,404.1	3.5	58.0	27.0	229.5	213.0	800.6
October	517.7	331.0	1,431.7	3.5	54.8	30.0	245.5	212.6	814.6
November	527.1	331.8	1,457.2	4.7	55.2	25.0	250.8	225.5	817.2
<b>COMMONWEALTH TRADING BANK</b>									
1953: June	74.0	26.5	135.7	4.1	12.0	31.3	15.2	32.2	59.8
1954: June	87.3	32.7	165.7	0.3	14.1	12.6	35.1	38.6	76.0
1955: June	96.1	43.0	181.1	0.3	11.6	8.9	39.7	33.8	98.5
1956: June	93.3	44.1	179.1	0.3	10.2	5.0	35.7	31.9	101.9
1957: June	103.2	45.4	193.9	0.4	11.1	7.0	36.6	39.2	102.5
1958: June	111.1	51.9	215.3	0.4	10.4	8.5	48.0	37.9	113.9
1959: June	115.2	59.2	233.4	0.3	10.8	1.7	62.2	35.2	125.1
July	117.2	61.6	234.9	0.3	11.5	2.6	61.4	36.2	130.7
August	117.9	60.3	238.2	0.3	10.4	4.3	61.8	36.2	130.5
September	119.6	60.1	242.8	0.4	13.1	4.0	65.6	36.6	129.0
October	118.1	61.4	245.0	0.3	12.7	4.1	67.7	37.0	130.6
November	120.5	62.3	253.5	0.3	11.3	4.9	67.7	39.1	131.5
<b>MAJOR TRADING BANKS‡</b>									
1953: June	522.6	270.2	1,374.7	7.6	88.6	131.8	130.9	333.0	661.6
1954: June	570.4	314.3	1,470.7	3.6	81.8	70.6	168.5	352.4	777.7
1955: June	571.7	385.5	1,488.3	4.9	77.0	36.7	164.3	279.6	916.2
1956: June	544.1	373.8	1,439.5	22.7	75.9	33.9	156.6	259.6	895.8
1957: June	595.6	373.0	1,556.0	10.5	67.2	22.9	205.0	339.6	868.7
1958: June	593.0	392.1	1,558.3	7.0	68.8	21.5	200.6	282.1	945.6
1958: December	618.0	385.9	1,626.0	4.1	76.6	44.7	254.2	264.6	932.2
1959: January	616.3	375.5	1,623.3	4.0	78.6	60.4	265.4	264.6	920.4
February	622.6	368.1	1,645.3	4.7	70.9	75.9	294.8	253.3	899.2
March	622.3	362.2	1,661.7	5.0	65.6	83.3	306.5	249.6	885.6
April	614.4	374.9	1,647.8	4.8	68.6	47.9	302.6	249.6	905.1
May	605.5	377.4	1,612.4	4.2	58.5	19.8	292.2	249.6	915.4
June	611.7	381.5	1,612.4	5.0	63.3	17.5	281.3	249.6	916.3
July	610.4	390.5	1,610.8	3.5	65.8	20.7	274.0	249.6	936.1
August	613.0	384.5	1,613.6	3.3	64.2	28.9	278.0	249.6	933.6
September	626.1	385.0	1,646.9	3.9	71.1	31.0	295.1	249.6	929.6
October	635.8	392.4	1,676.7	3.8	67.5	34.1	313.2	249.6	945.2
November	647.6	394.1	1,710.7	5.0	66.5	29.9	318.5	264.6	948.7
<b>ALL TRADING BANKS</b>									
1953: June	557.5	314.7	1,428.0	7.9	94.4	138.7	144.4	334.1	724.8
1954: June	608.6	360.7	1,530.5	4.0	87.1	80.1	182.6	353.5	845.2
1955: June	609.9	436.6	1,544.7	5.6	81.8	40.7	177.8	280.7	990.8
1956: June	582.7	426.5	1,496.1	24.3	79.6	37.4	171.5	260.4	972.4
1957: June	636.5	427.1	1,615.5	12.2	71.3	27.1	220.5	340.3	948.4
1958: June	636.1	449.0	1,620.1	8.2	71.9	22.0	215.4	282.7	1,030.1
1959: June	658.2	440.6	1,680.8	6.4	66.0	18.0	297.3	250.2	1,003.5
July	659.2	449.8	1,681.3	5.1	69.3	21.3	290.0	250.2	1,023.3
August	662.0	443.4	1,683.4	4.0	67.0	29.4	294.0	250.2	1,019.9
September	675.1	444.1	1,716.7	4.7	74.1	31.5	311.0	250.2	1,016.9
October	684.7	452.0	1,746.3	4.6	70.6	34.5	328.9	250.2	1,033.1
November	697.4	453.7	1,781.7	5.8	69.3	30.9	334.2	265.2	1,036.5

\* Since 1st October, 1951, 15 trading banks have conducted business in Australia. They comprise 7 major private trading banks and the Commonwealth Trading Bank (which operate in all States), and 7 other banks (including the Rural Bank and 3 other banks in N.S.W.) which trade mainly in particular areas.

† General Banking Division of the Commonwealth Bank prior to 3rd December, 1953.

‡ Major Private Trading Banks and Commonwealth Trading Bank.

### No. 69. Trading Banks: Debits to Customers' Accounts, New South Wales

"Debits" refer to all trading banks operating in New South Wales, excluding accounts of Australian Governments at City banks and central banking business of the Commonwealth Bank.

Period	1952-53	1953-54	1954-55	1955-56	1956-57	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60
	Weekly Average—£ million							
July	149.0	163.7	181.8	201.7	214.6	235.9	242.6	275.3
August	130.1	145.6	170.6	186.9	189.0	205.8	218.8	254.5
September	143.0	167.7	179.7	193.7	201.0	227.4	236.1	283.1
October	152.7	168.3	190.3	202.9	221.8	233.6	252.3	290.5
November	159.8	173.0	185.8	216.1	226.1	237.9	254.3	286.8
December	173.8	187.1	194.5	214.1	231.7	253.8	274.4	307.0
January	124.6	151.9	173.8	183.9	202.3	200.6	205.7	
February	156.2	164.8	188.3	187.1	224.7	232.6	254.3	
March	162.4	184.7	186.0	199.8	233.5	239.8	259.0	
April	149.7	166.2	185.5	201.2	232.2	234.2	250.1	
May	157.4	183.0	203.3	218.0	229.8	235.0	263.4	
June	160.3	194.9	206.1	203.9	234.5	231.8	269.6	
Year	151.9	171.7	187.5	200.9	219.4	230.3	248.9	

### No. 70. Life Assurances in New South Wales

Period	Ordinary		Industrial		Total Sum Assured	Ordinary		Industrial		Total Sum Assured
	Policies	Sum Assured	Policies	Sum Assured		Policies	Sum Assured	Policies	Sum Assured	
	No.	£ thous.	No.	£ thousand		No.	£ thous.	No.	£ thousand	
New Policies Issued										
Year*: 1939	50,520	18,180	156,787	7,539	25,719	421,219	153,272	962,499	43,202	196,474
1949	94,665	49,357	113,568	11,332	60,689	811,919	337,388	1,402,907	84,404	421,792
1950	98,015	58,666	106,754	11,136	69,802	867,042	376,763	1,420,689	89,372	466,135
1951	101,683	78,187	97,361	11,526	89,713	926,905	434,233	1,430,907	94,737	528,970
1952	110,992	81,270	99,573	13,342	94,612	990,730	490,236	1,434,431	100,934	591,170
1953	111,437	86,501	98,547	13,590	100,091	1,047,470	540,693	1,431,843	106,653	647,346
1954	110,302	97,247	91,554	13,313	110,560	1,093,268	603,259	1,403,180	110,868	714,127
1955	122,516	110,606	86,691	13,520	124,126	1,151,471	674,123	1,375,826	114,540	788,663
1956	121,641	121,639	87,085	13,780	135,419	1,202,098	752,240	1,356,523	118,273	870,513
1957	113,748	136,321	84,601	13,488	149,809	1,234,117	836,746	1,328,922	121,488	958,234

### New Policies Issued (monthly)

Month: January	1958					1959				
	4,886	4,864	2,254	342	5,206	5,794	8,664	1,990	298	8,962
February	7,326	8,819	5,749	910	9,729	7,326	10,241	5,872	929	11,170
March	9,279	10,895	7,440	1,218	12,113	8,486	11,654	6,700	1,082	12,736
April	7,102	8,872	6,328	1,037	9,909	8,866	12,729	6,648	1,059	13,788
May	7,618	11,938	7,227	1,168	13,106	9,930	13,205	7,081	1,167	14,372
June	10,752	14,459	9,678	1,606	16,065	10,969	16,605	7,888	1,369	17,974
July	9,137	13,822	7,530	1,204	15,026	10,976	17,163	6,765	1,090	18,253
August	10,887	13,969	7,778	1,255	15,224	11,129	15,130	8,294	1,383	16,513
September	11,992	15,366	11,646	1,814	17,180	13,170	19,748	8,690	1,384	21,132
October	9,147	14,077	6,280	1,031	15,108	9,478	17,469	5,852	983	18,452
November	9,450	12,411	6,133	1,048	13,459					
December	9,195	18,092	4,303	885	18,977					
Year Jan.-Oct.	106,771	147,584	82,346	13,518	161,102	96,124	142,608	65,780	10,744	153,352

\* The annual data supplied by each company relate to its financial year (ended mainly in September or December of year specified.)

### No. 71. New Money Capital Raised by Australian Companies

These statistics relate to new capital raised by companies incorporated in Australia and the Australian Territories, distinguishing between companies listed on the Australian Stock Exchange (*listed companies*) and all other companies (*unlisted companies*). *New money raised* is the net amount of cash transferred from the investing public to the companies, and consists of the total amount of cash received by the companies less the amounts not involving a transfer of funds from the investing public (cash subscribed by associated companies, and other cash subscriptions used to redeem shares, debentures, etc. or to purchase existing shares, debentures, etc. in other companies). Borrowings by bank overdraft and temporary advances, and deposits accepted by banks, insurance and pastoral companies and building societies are excluded from the statistics.

Period	Listed Companies			Unlisted Companies			Total New Money Raised
	Share Capital	Debentures Registered Notes, and Deposits*	Total	Share Capital	Secured Loans†	Total	
	£ million						
Year: 1954-55	59.7	27.5	87.2	31.8	4.5	36.3	123.5
1955-56	59.2	50.0	109.2	29.0	5.8	34.8	144.0
1956-57	43.7	51.7	95.4	27.6	4.7	32.3	127.7
1957-58	35.3	77.9	113.2	21.1	4.3	25.4	138.6
1958-59	48.7	139.4	188.1	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.	n.y.a.
1957: June Qr.	10.1	5.9	16.0	8.0	1.7	9.7	25.7
Sept. Qr.	10.1	19.3	29.4	5.2	1.4	6.6	36.0
Dec. Qr.	8.2	20.2	28.4	5.3	0.7	6.0	34.4
1958: Mar. Qr.	7.4	18.4	25.8	4.5	0.9	5.4	31.2
June Qr.	9.6	20.0	29.6	6.1	1.3	7.4	37.0
Sept. Qr.	11.1	38.0	49.1	4.5	1.1	5.6	54.7
Dec. Qr.	12.6	44.5	57.1	3.6	5.9	9.5	66.6
1959: Mar. Qr.	8.7	29.0	37.7	3.8p			
June Qr.	16.3	27.9	44.2				
Sept. Qr.p	8.9	47.4	56.3				

\* Includes raisings from Australian Sources by oversea public companies through their Australian offices.

† Secured by charge over the entire assets of a company.

### No. 72. Index of Prices of Shares on Sydney Stock Exchange

This index relates to ordinary shares of the principal companies (excluding banking companies) listed on the Sydney Stock Exchange whose business in New South Wales is extensive.

The prices of individual shares are unweighted, and each group average is the mean of the average monthly prices per £1 of paid-up capital. The aggregate index is the average of all the shares included in the groups with the addition of 34 miscellaneous shares. There is no base period as the index represents the ratio per cent. of the average prices of ordinary shares to their par values, adjustment being made where capital is written off or bonus shares are issued.

Period	23 Manufacturing and Distributing Companies	10 Retail Companies	4 Pastoral and Finance Companies	4 Insurance Companies	Total 75 Companies *	34 Active Shares included in foregoing
Year: 1938-39	208.1	175.3	122.2	258.8	175.6	182.0
1953-54	371.6	288.3	201.3	594.3	267.0	272.8
1954-55	404.9	354.3	226.1	585.6	294.4	301.9
1955-56	424.7	409.2	254.6	574.3	312.6	311.7
1956-57	423.1	368.3	262.7	667.4	309.2	312.4
1957-58	455.8	370.6	274.2	758.0	332.5	340.7
1958-59	502.3	376.2	232.1	835.8	356.0	373.8
1958: October	478.7	362.8	227.4	771.8	338.2	352.5
November	483.0	363.4	225.9	784.8	341.0	359.4
December	495.5	364.4	223.3	803.2	346.6	365.1
1959: January	506.1	382.6	221.2	829.3	356.2	374.6
February	511.9	391.4	227.4	845.9	361.8	382.8
March	506.7	380.0	219.6	863.8	359.2	377.1
April	520.8	381.2	237.8	892.7	370.3	389.7
May	535.4	386.2	243.5	921.0	380.6	405.4
June	550.5	393.5	237.7	944.2	390.4	417.5
July	569.8	422.4	248.3	975.0	411.3	440.0
August	607.5	456.2	285.7	1,013.0	441.8	469.0
September	633.9	481.4	340.9	1,041.9	463.5	493.9
October	658.2	500.2	343.3	1,128.8	483.2	512.7
November	644.0	486.0	325.9	1,150.2	477.9	504.1
December	649.3	486.6	324.2	1,115.4	478.5	503.0

\* Includes 34 miscellaneous companies.

**No. 73. Real Estate Transactions, New South Wales**  
 (Registered under Real Property Act or Registration of Deeds Act)

Year	Conveyances and Transfers		Month	Conveyances and Transfers			Mortgages			
				1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	1957-58	1958-59	1959-60	
	Number	£ thousand		£ thousand						
1951-52	95,857	179,581	July	26,015	27,220	30,275	12,700	13,890	16,673	
1952-53	82,905	143,909	August	22,053	22,205	25,715	10,191	15,526	13,731	
1953-54	92,380	188,032	September	22,497	23,313	28,911	10,612	13,468	14,111	
1954-55	98,666	218,799	October	23,013	25,079	27,049	11,320	13,406	13,487	
			November	20,975	22,947	30,631	11,129	12,253	16,602	
			December	21,465	23,801	31,813	11,942	12,555	15,657	
1955-56	91,143	230,300	January	20,227	18,993		12,028	10,550		
1956-57	91,842	226,514	February	21,315	21,194		12,016	11,354		
1957-58	100,001	266,454	March	22,269	22,291		11,472	14,274		
1958-59	103,806	281,431	April	21,694	24,998		11,491	12,949		
			May	23,574	24,976		11,952	13,008		
			June	21,357	24,414		10,243	14,146		

\* As consideration is not recorded in many mortgages, the amount is understated. For the most part, it relates to mortgages in fixed amounts for fixed periods and excludes fluctuating advances secured by mortgage.

**No. 74. New South Wales Government: Revenue and Expenditure**

Particulars	Year ended 30th June					
	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959
REVENUE						
<b>Governmental—</b>						
Receipts from Commonwealth for—						
Uniform Tax Reimbursement ..	56,252	58,455	61,319	65,268	72,700	76,083
Interest on Public Debt ..	2,917	2,917	2,917	2,917	2,917	2,917
Health (Hospital Benefits, etc.) ..	4,594	5,286	5,321	5,367	5,316	5,919
Other .. .. .. ..	77	272	577	701	566	606
State Taxes* .. .. .. ..	19,104	21,232	24,051	30,323	34,736	37,472
Land, Mining, Forestry .. .. ..	3,644	4,431	5,341	5,926	5,310	4,332
Services Rendered .. .. ..	6,135	6,922	6,923	8,554	9,585	10,012
Miscellaneous—						
State Lotteries—Gross Profit ..	3,845	4,077	4,237	4,628	4,573	4,532
Repayments of Previous Year's Votes ..	498	583	457	342	346	636
Other .. .. .. ..	3,011	3,334	3,760	3,967	4,308	5,074
<b>Total Governmental .. .. .. ..</b>	<b>100,077</b>	<b>107,509</b>	<b>114,903</b>	<b>127,993</b>	<b>140,357</b>	<b>147,583</b>
<b>Business Undertakings†—</b>						
Railways .. .. .. ..	74,569	73,361	75,386	78,689	74,433	75,931
Tramways and Omnibuses .. ..	11,575	11,475	11,067	14,260	13,821	13,260
Sydney Harbour .. .. ..	2,471	3,093	3,043	2,887	2,900	2,995
<b>Total Business Undertakings .. .. .. ..</b>	<b>88,615</b>	<b>87,929</b>	<b>89,496</b>	<b>95,836</b>	<b>91,154</b>	<b>92,186</b>
<b>Total Revenue .. .. .. ..</b>	<b>188,692</b>	<b>195,438</b>	<b>204,399</b>	<b>223,829</b>	<b>231,511</b>	<b>239,769</b>
EXPENDITURE						
<b>Governmental—</b>						
Legislature and General Administration ..	7,376	7,395	8,084	9,480	10,530	10,487
Law, Order and Public Safety ..	10,397	11,064	12,278	13,441	14,436	15,870
Regulation of Trade and Industry ..	742	708	674	675	707	776
Education .. .. .. ..	27,270	31,581	34,557	37,189	40,381	45,055
Science, Art and Research .. .. ..	537	602	623	646	814	978
Public Health and Recreation ..	20,970	21,511	22,495	24,836	26,393	27,720
Social Amelioration .. .. .. ..	3,078	3,613	3,316	4,016	5,252	4,278
War Obligations .. .. .. ..	259	253	292	348	546	615
Development and Maintenance of State Resources .. .. .. ..	11,947	12,459	12,374	14,290	14,182	15,213
Local Government .. .. .. ..	903	1,517	854	956	1,064	1,132
Adjustment of Old Accounts .. .. .. ..	2,040	77	73	419	297	70
<b>Total (Ordinary Departmental) † .. .. .. ..</b>	<b>85,519</b>	<b>90,780</b>	<b>95,620</b>	<b>106,296</b>	<b>114,602</b>	<b>122,194</b>
<b>Business Undertakings (Working Expenses)—</b>						
Railways .. .. .. ..	67,283	67,970	74,249	74,690	71,726	70,533
Tramways and Omnibuses .. .. ..	14,278	14,361	14,770	14,927	14,705	14,488
Sydney Harbour .. .. .. ..	1,771	2,387	2,269	2,158	2,222	2,095
<b>Total Business Undertakings .. .. .. ..</b>	<b>83,332</b>	<b>84,718</b>	<b>91,288</b>	<b>91,775</b>	<b>88,653</b>	<b>87,116</b>
<b>Public Debt Charges—</b>						
Interest .. .. .. ..	14,452	16,457	18,330	19,958	22,319	23,991
Exchange on Interest .. .. .. ..	1,260	1,273	1,292	1,096	1,108	1,263
Sinking Fund .. .. .. ..	4,001	4,358	4,702	4,575	4,782	5,163
<b>Total Public Debt Charges .. .. .. ..</b>	<b>19,713</b>	<b>22,088</b>	<b>24,324</b>	<b>25,629</b>	<b>28,209</b>	<b>30,417</b>
<b>Total Expenditure .. .. .. ..</b>	<b>188,564</b>	<b>197,586</b>	<b>211,232</b>	<b>223,700</b>	<b>231,464</b>	<b>239,727</b>
<b>Surplus or Deficit .. .. .. ..</b>	<b>128</b>	<b>(—) 2,148</b>	<b>(—) 6,833</b>	<b>129</b>	<b>47</b>	<b>42</b>

\* Paid to Consolidated Revenue Fund. For details of all State taxes, see Table 76.

† Contributions from Consolidated Revenue Fund to transport undertakings towards (a) losses on developmental railways (£800,000 yearly until 1952-53 and £1,000,000 in 1953-54 and later years) and (b) cost of superannuation (£800,000 to Railways and £175,000 to Trams and Omnibuses in 1953-54 and later years) are omitted to avoid duplication.

### No. 75. New South Wales Government: Revenue and Expenditure\*

Item		Revenue		Expenditure	
		July-December		July-December	
		1958	1959	Item	
		£ thousand		£ thousand	
Governmental—				Governmental	.. .. ..
From Commonwealth—					55,894 61,180
Tax Reimbursement .. .	30,481	33,382			
Towards Interest on Debt .. .	1,459	1,459			
Probate and Stamp Duty .. .	11,948	14,787			
Other Taxes .. ..	4,933	5,524	Business Undertakings (Working Expenses)—		
Land, Mining, etc. .. .	1,154	1,303	Railways .. .. ..	35,937 35,692	
Services Rendered .. .	3,520	3,849	Trams and Buses .. .. ..	6,821 6,708	
Miscellaneous .. .. .	7,079	9,675	Sydney Harbour .. .. ..	1,025 1,065	
Total .. .. .	60,574	69,979	Total .. .. ..	43,783 43,465	
Business Undertakings—					
Railways .. .. ..	37,802	40,629	Debt Charges—		
Trams and Buses .. ..	6,290	6,445	Exchange and loan Management	842 916	
Sydney Harbour .. ..	1,462	1,623	Interest .. .. ..	15,110 16,787	
Total .. .. .	45,554	48,697	Sinking Fund .. .. ..	3,276 3,498	
Total Revenue .. .. .	106,128	118,676		19,228 21,201	
			Less—Recoups by Other Accounts .. .. ..	4,365 4,828	
			Total .. .. ..	14,863 16,373	
			Total Expenditure .. .. ..	114,540 121,018	

\* Figures for 1958-59 are preliminary; those for 1957-58 are on the same preliminary basis.

## No. 76. State Taxation. New South Wales

The Australian States ceased to levy Income Tax from 1st July, 1942, upon the introduction of the Commonwealth uniform tax schemes. The States are reimbursed for loss of tax revenue by (a) an annual grant from the Commonwealth and (b) arrears of State Income Tax collected.

Taxes	Year ended 30th June							
	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959
	£ thousand							
<b>State Taxes Collected—</b>								
Income Tax (Arrears)	82	67	33	19	17	11	25	11
Probate	7,588	8,405	8,014	9,589	9,753	10,891	10,756	12,044
Stamp Duties	4,806	4,844	5,645	6,314	8,261	9,904	11,387	12,559
Racing and Betting*	2,001	2,593	2,890	2,789	2,923	2,903	2,953	2,800
Liquor Licences	1,650	1,804	2,428	2,418	2,972	3,123	3,460	3,692
Land Tax†	2	2	2	2	2	3,348	6,002	6,205
Other	86	86	92	101	123	143	153	162
Total Paid to Cons. Rev. Fund	16,215	17,801	19,104	21,232	24,051	30,323	34,736	37,473
Motor Tax, Licences, etc.	8,626	9,877	10,645	10,847	10,880	12,109	12,981	15,628
Poker Machines	...	...	...	...	...	763	835	905
Total State Taxes	24,841	27,678	29,749	32,079	34,931	43,195	48,552	54,006
<b>Commonwealth Tax Reimbursement—</b>								
Formula Grant	34,744	43,424	47,733	50,697	54,209	58,342	61,721	64,785
Supplementary Grants	13,074	10,495	8,519	7,758	7,110	6,926	10,978r	11,298
Total Reimbursements	47,818	53,919	56,252	58,455	61,319	65,268	72,699r	76,083

\* Includes Stamp Duty

† Until November, 1956, imposed on freehold tenures in the unincorporated areas of the Western Division only.

No. 77 State Loan Expenditure New South Wales

Year	Gross Loan Expenditure	Repayments to Loan Account	Net Loan Expenditure	Quarter	Gross Loan Expenditure	Repayments to Loan Account	Net Loan Expenditure
	£ thousand	£ thousand	£ thousand		£ thousand	£ thousand	£ thousand
1951-52	65,354	1,921	63,433	1957: Dec. Qr.	11,448	639	10,809
1952-53	54,551	3,005	51,546	1958: Mar. Qr.	15,006	461	14,545
1953-54	60,021	3,294	56,727	June Qr.	19,477	3,648	15,829
1954-55	53,336	2,022	51,314	Sept. Qr.	10,803	228	10,575
1955-56	55,369	5,619	49,750	Dec. Qr.	13,965	337	13,628
1956-57	54,296	5,322	48,974	1959: Mar. Qr.	12,789	947	11,842
1957-58	57,597	4,987	52,610	June Qr.	22,495	4,044	18,451
1958-59	60,052	5,556	54,496	Sept. Qr.	11,574	246	11,328

## No. 78. Public Debt and Annual Interest, New South Wales

At 30th June	Public Debt					Annual Interest on Public Debt†			
	Domicile			Total of Fore- going	Per Head of Popu- lation	Payable in—			Total of Fore- going
	Australia	London	New York			Australia	London	New York	
	£ A thous.	£ stg. thous.	£ thous.*	£ thous.	£	£ A thous.	£ stg. thous.	£ thous.*	£ thous.
1954	481,611	122,281	10,603	614,495	179.49	15,537	3,876	357	19,770
1955	522,978	122,141	10,479	655,598	187.83	18,381	3,915	353	22,649
1956	565,261	122,112	10,763	698,136	196.47	20,428	3,914	413	24,755
1957	619,791	122,081	10,824	742,696	205.00	23,640	3,638	418	27,696
1958	667,469	107,956	12,036	787,461	213.45	26,336	3,994	477	30,807
1959	707,504	111,653	13,210	832,367	221.59	28,475	4,274	537	33,286

\* Dollars converted at \$4.8665 to £1.

† Represents one year's interest on debt outstanding at 30th June.

## No. 79. State Debt Sinking Fund, New South Wales

Year ended 30th June	Contributions by—			Securities Re-purchased and Redeemed				Face Value	
	Common- wealth	New South Wales	Total	Net Cost (Aust. Currency)		Face Value			
				Australia	Oversea	Australia	London		
				£ thousand	£ thousand	£ A thous.	£ stg. thous.	£ thous.†	
1954	1,273	4,663	5,978	6,769	675	7,310	408	84	
1955	1,430	5,125	6,569	6,176	442	6,282	140	123	
1956	1,546	5,588	7,151	6,833	312	7,064	29	129	
1957	1,651	5,826	7,488	7,376	440	7,421	241	95	
1958	1,787	6,150	7,957	2,503	5,580	2,597	4,205	148	
1959	1,894	6,516	8,427	7,466	669	7,495	260	173	
Total, 1929-59	25,779	89,220	115,954*	75,815	39,786	77,386	27,344	4,550	

\* Includes interest earnings, £471,000, and Commonwealth Aid Roads, £469,000.

† Face value of securities converted at \$4.8665 to £1.

## No. 80. Commonwealth Loans Raised by Public Subscription in Australia

Month of Flotation	Floated by Commonwealth on Account of all Australian Governments					Share of New Raising Allocated to—		
	Interest Rate	Issue Price	Year of Maturity	Amount of Loan		Common- wealth ‡	New South Wales	Other States
				Con- version*	New Raising†			
	Per cent.	£				£ thousand		
1957: August	4	99.25	1959	98,575	9,464	...	9,943	21,385
	5	100	1965	9,585	15,614			
	5	100	1976	34,700	6,250			
November	4	99	1960	21,443	14,321			
	5	100	1967	26,176	9,906			
	5	100	1973	7,908	8,178			
1958: May	4	98.875	1961	108,579	10,685			
	4½	99	1967	10,651	5,316	8	12,398	26,668
	5	100	1973	26,577	23,073			
October	4	99.75	1960	54,895	13,045			
	4½	99.25	1967	24,542	4,712			
	5	100	1974	75,647	18,971			
1959: February	4½, 5	100	1959/66§	11,332	22,037			
	4	99.5	1961	...	35,765			
	4½	99.375	1967	...	3,971			
	5	100	1974	...	20,247			
May	4½, 5	100	1960/66§	3,781	5,104			
	4	99.5	1962	50,951	14,068			
	4½	99.5	1968	21,562	3,292			
	5	100	1979	16,396	33,103			
September	4½, 5	100	1960/66§	8,604	7,862			
	4	100	1962	35,487	12,993			
	4½	99.75	1968	35,531	6,681			
	5	100	1979	68,757	38,878			

\* Value of stocks converted.

† Cash subscriptions available for public works and services.

‡ For Commonwealth works and services and advances to States for housing.

§ Special bonds, redeemable at option of holder at any time after 30th June, 1959 (first series of bonds) or 1st April, 1960 (second series). The interest rate and redemption value increase during the term of the bonds, to maxima of 5 per cent. and £103 per cent., respectively. The first series of special bonds was open for subscription from October, 1958 to 24th April, 1959, and the second series has been open since 25th April, 1959.

¶ Excludes share of new raising of special bonds.

## No. 81. Commonwealth Government Revenue and Expenditure

Particulars	Year ended 30th June			July-December	
	1957	1958	1959	1958	1959
	£ thousand				
REVENUE*					
Customs .. .. .. .. .. ..	68,597	71,717	71,671	36,575	39,265
Excise .. .. .. .. .. ..	217,440	232,648	237,243	122,591	128,678
Sales Tax .. .. .. .. .. ..	125,751	137,778	143,617	71,407	78,913
Income Tax and Social Services Contribution—					
Individuals .. .. .. .. .. ..	403,727	435,071	388,965	143,522	148,544
Companies .. .. .. .. .. ..	216,571	215,348	219,695		24,546
Pay Roll Tax .. .. .. .. .. ..	48,676	48,552	49,619		26,677
Land Tax .. .. .. .. .. ..	—	—	—		—
Estate Duty .. .. .. .. .. ..	12,712	13,774	13,309	6,626	6,585
Entertainments Tax .. .. .. .. .. ..	—	—	—		
Gift Duty .. .. .. .. .. ..	1,940	2,205	2,000	1,057	1,108
Total Taxes .. .. .. .. .. ..	1,095,415	1,157,104	1,126,119	406,324	429,770
Post Office .. .. .. .. .. ..	90,074	96,776	103,467	51,420	57,460
Broadcasting and Television .. .. .. .. .. ..	5,301	6,876	8,618	4,276	4,964
Railways .. .. .. .. .. ..	4,428	4,576	4,811	2,433	2,623
Territories .. .. .. .. .. ..	2,513	2,845	3,189	1,543	2,001
Miscellaneous .. .. .. .. .. ..	36,712	39,196	35,957	16,469	18,729
Total Revenue† .. .. .. .. .. ..	1,234,443	1,307,373	1,282,161	482,465	515,547
EXPENDITURE					
Social Services: Age and Invalid Pensions .. .. .. .. .. ..	109,210	121,577	129,571	66,768	73,572
Child Endowment .. .. .. .. .. ..	57,037	58,734	67,540	37,816	31,955
Hospital Benefits .. .. .. .. .. ..	9,813	10,823	14,802	7,121	9,032
Pharmaceutical Benefits .. .. .. .. .. ..	9,924	12,911	18,455	8,049	10,737
Other .. .. .. .. .. ..	37,939	43,440	47,859	21,730	25,165
To States: Tax Reimbursements .. .. .. .. .. ..	223,923	247,485	278,227	141,484	150,461
Other .. .. .. .. .. ..	174,027	194,965	204,985	82,002	97,800
Capital Works (excluding defence) .. .. .. .. .. ..	70,050	75,602	81,606	40,837	36,906
Post Office .. .. .. .. .. ..	107,802	123,511	132,349	63,059	70,036
Broadcasting and Television .. .. .. .. .. ..	91,197	96,952	100,480	49,945	52,761
Railways .. .. .. .. .. ..	6,701	7,334	8,371	5,619	6,396
Territories .. .. .. .. .. ..	4,245	4,321	4,378	1,923	2,168
Defence Services (including capital works) .. .. .. .. .. ..	16,510	19,287	20,616	9,271	10,609
War and Repatriation: Debt Charges .. .. .. .. .. ..	188,497	185,097	189,308	85,960	94,506
Pensions .. .. .. .. .. ..	58,524	51,882	48,758	41,122	45,530
Other .. .. .. .. .. ..	50,162	58,889	60,639		
Subsidies .. .. .. .. .. ..	25,028	25,856	24,466		
Debt Charges, n.e.i. .. .. .. .. .. ..	15,014	15,660	17,294	7,986	8,036
Other .. .. .. .. .. ..	10,527	11,566	10,781	36,632	39,186
Total Expenditure † .. .. .. .. .. ..	88,644	97,281	120,685	51,748	55,782
	1,130,851	1,215,688	1,302,943	617,588	670,177

\* Excludes self-balancing items.

† Excludes trust fund balances transferred to Consolidated Revenue Fund, viz. £69.8 m. (see note †) in 1956-57, £4.0 m. in 1957-58, and £5.7 m. in 1958-59.

‡ Includes £13.4 m. met from War Pensions Trust Account.

† Includes transfers to reserve accounts (£111.6 m. in 1956-57, £104.4 m. in 1957-58, and £27.9 m. in 1958-59). In 1956-57, additional amounts (excluded from expenditure) were transferred from Consolidated Revenue Fund to Loan Consolidation and Investment Reserve, viz. £69.8 m. trust fund balances (excluded from revenue—see note †) and £13.4 m. in connection with War Pensions Trust Account (see note ‡).

§ Debt charges attributable to these items are included in "Debt Charges, n.e.i." below.

Expenditure from Loan Fund, included above, consisted of "War and Repatriation-Other" (£8.0 m. in 1956-57, £8.7 m. in 1957-58, £5.7 m. in 1958-59, and in the six months ended December, £2.3 m. in 1958 and £3.4 m. in 1959) and Defence Services (£37.3 m. in 1958-59). Other loan fund expenditure, not included in the table, consisted of Advances to States for Housing (£32.2 m. in 1956-57, £33.2 m. in 1957-58, £35.8 m. in 1958-59, and in the six months ended December, £11.0 m. in 1958 and £11.9 m. in 1959) and loans to Government Airlines (£3.9 m. in 1956-57, £3.3 m. in 1957-58, £7.4 m. in 1958-59, and in the six months ended December, £4.9 m. in 1958, and £4.6 m. in 1959).

## No. 82. Commonwealth Expenditure on Social Services\* in New South Wales†

Year ended 30th June	Age and Invalid Pensions	Medical, etc. Benefits to Pensioners ‡	Maternity Allowances	Child Endowment	Widows Pensions	Unemployment and Sickness Benefits	Hospital Benefits	Pharmaceutical Benefits	Other Benefits	Total of Foregoing
	£ thousand									
1954	34,042	1,609	1,173	19,138	2,767	2,078	3,464	3,152	3,872	71,295
1955	36,954	1,937	1,263	19,591	2,827	1,057	4,019	3,947	5,294	76,889
1956	42,515	2,192	1,223	22,210	3,172	986	4,001	4,404	6,130	86,833
1957	45,419	2,348	1,269	20,976	3,656	1,433	4,071	4,061	6,884	90,117
1958	50,500	2,551	1,299	21,467	3,920	2,692	4,338	5,402	7,273	99,442
1959	53,816	2,997	1,286	24,610	4,298	3,499	6,377	7,538	7,490	111,911

\* Items listed in the National Welfare Fund.

† Includes Australian Capital Territory.

‡ Includes pensioners' pharmaceutical and funeral benefits.

**No. 83. Commonwealth Age and Invalid Pensions in New South Wales\***  
**(a). Total Pensioners and Payments**

Year ended 30th June	Pensioners at 30th June				Payments during Year		
	Age	Invalid	In Benevolent Asylums	Total	To Pensioners †	To Benevolent Asylums and Hospitals for Maintenance of Pensioners	Total
1954	164,706	35,611	1,498	201,815	33,953	89	34,042
1955	174,308	38,226	876	213,410	36,874	80	36,954
1956	181,120	40,588	892	222,600	42,465	50	42,515
1957	186,233	42,649	‡	228,882	45,318	101	45,419
1958	206,511	28,885	‡	235,396	50,402	98	50,500
1959	212,315	32,435	‡	246,750	53,725	91	53,816

\* Includes Australian Capital Territory.

† Includes payments for wives and children of pensioners who are invalids.

‡ Included in "Age" or "Invalid".

**(b). Sex of Pensioners and Weekly Rates of Pension**

At 30th June	Age Pensioners			Invalid Pensioners			Maximum Basic Rate of Pension	Maximum Additional Amounts Payable to Pensioners who are invalids			
	Males	Females	Total	Males	Females	Total		Wife	First Child	Each Other Child	
1954*	62,230	102,476	164,706	21,215	14,396	35,611	70 0	35	11 6	...	
1955*	64,465	109,843	174,308	22,580	15,646	38,226	70 0	35	11 6	...	
1956*	65,562	115,558	181,120	23,792	16,796	40,588	80 0	35	11 6	...	
1957	67,225	119,008	186,233	25,401	17,248	42,649	80 0	35	11 6	10	
1958	65,384	141,127	206,511	15,157	13,728	28,885	87 6	35	11 6	10	
1959	67,212	145,103	212,315	17,087	15,348	32,435	87 6	35	11 6	10	

\* Excludes pensioners in benevolent asylums.

Notes.

1. Commencing from October, 1958, supplementary assistance of 10s. per week is available to single pensioners and to married couples where one is a pensioner and the other is not receiving a wife's allowance; only those who pay rent are considered to be entirely dependent on their pension are eligible for this assistance.
2. Pensioners in benevolent asylums receive allowance instead of pension; from October, 1957, the maximum rate was 30s. 6d. per week.

**No. 84. Commonwealth Child Endowment in New South Wales\***

At 30th June	Family Units				Approved Institutions		Endowment Paid during Year ended 30th June	
	Claims in Force	Endowed Children	Average per Claim		Institutions	Endowed Children		
			Endowed Children	Annual Liability				
1954	No 501,272	No. 1,031,898	No. 2,059	£ s. d. 40 10 6	No. 115	No. 8,425	£ thous. 19,138	
1955	499,072	1,034,865	2,074	40 18 3	117	6,438	19,591	
1956	511,359	1,060,544	2,074	40 18 6	117	5,650	22,210	
1957	524,239	1,092,858	2,085	41 4 0	119	5,606	20,976	
1958	537,374	1,124,122	2,092	41 7 9	123	5,973	21,467	
1959	549,822	1,155,786	2,102	41 13 1	123	5,930	24,610	

\* Includes Australian Capital Territory.

Note. From 9th November, 1948, the rate was 10s. a week for each child under 16 years of age (except one) in the family and each child under 16 years of age in an approved institution. From 20th June, 1950, endowment at the rate of 5s. a week was payable in respect of the first child in the family under 16 years of age.

**No. 85. Commonwealth Maternity Allowances in New South Wales\***

Year ended 30th June	Amount of Allowance	Confinements (approximate)	Maternity Allowances Paid	
			No.	Amount
1954	75,300	72,380	£	1,173,058
1955	74,700	77,401		1,262,819
1956	76,400	76,552		1,222,596
1957	78,500	78,454		1,268,967
1958	81,400	80,357		1,299,412
1959	82,600	81,565		1,285,755

\* Includes Australian Capital Territory.

† For plural births, £5 is added for each additional child born.

## No. 86. Commonwealth Widow's Pension in New South Wales\*

Year ended 30th June	Pensions Current at 30th June							Amount Paid during Year	
	Widow and Child		Widow Aged 50 Years and Over		Other Widows		Total, All Widows		
	No.	Average Rate per week	No.	Average Rate per week	No.	No.	Average Rate per week		
1953	7,815	s. d. 69 5	8,863	s. d. 52 1	134	16,812	s. d. 60 2	£ thous. 2,630	
1954	7,844	73 6	8,667	55 7	164	16,675	64 0	2,767	
1955	8,109	74 4	8,761	56 3	196	17,066	64 10	2,827	
1956	8,297	84 3	8,911	66 0	219	17,427	74 8	3,172	
1957	8,660	92 7	9,534	65 9	273	18,467	78 4	3,656	
1958	8,149	100 6	10,397	73 4	126	18,672	85 2	3,920	
1959	8,670	101 0	10,817	73 8	131	19,618	85 9	4,298	

\* Includes Australian Capital Territory.

Notes. 1. From October, 1958, widow pensioners who pay rent and are considered to be entirely dependent on their pension may also receive supplementary assistance of 10s. per week.

2. The State of New South Wales supplements the pensions by allowances for children; 1,519 widows were receiving allowances at 30th June, 1959 and the amount paid in the year ended 30th June, 1959 was £70,302.

## No. 76. Commonwealth Unemployment and Sickness Benefits in New South Wales\*

Note. These benefits, commenced on 1st July, 1945, are payable (subject to means test) to persons aged 16 to 65 years (females 60) whose normal earnings have been interrupted through unemployment, sickness, or temporary incapacity. Since October, 1957, the maximum weekly rate of benefit for unmarried minors has been 35s. if under age 18 years, or 47s. 6d. if over 18 years; and for other persons, 65s., plus 47s. 6d. for a dependent wife and 10s. for one dependent child.

## (a). Amount of Benefits Paid and Admissions to Unemployment Benefit

Period	Number Admitted to Unemployment Benefit during Period			Benefits Paid during Period			
	Males	Females	Persons	Unemploy- ment	Sickness	Special†	Total†
Year: 1952-53	76,668	11,972	88,640	£ 2,686,297	£ 546,432	£ 72,933	£ 3,305,662
1953-54	18,854	4,599	23,453	1,247,215	697,949	132,797	2,077,961
1954-55	5,152	2,475	7,627	254,558	676,148	126,650	1,057,356
1955-56	8,126	2,591	10,717	216,400	644,464	125,394	986,258
1956-57	23,217	5,683	28,900	672,431	643,269	116,925	1,432,625
1957-58	41,010	9,491	50,501	1,732,137	797,567	162,621	2,692,325
1958-59	43,605	12,210	55,815	2,429,242	927,534	142,597	3,499,373
1957: Dec. Qr.	8,574	1,732	10,306	334,937	201,778	34,461	571,176
1958: Mar. Qr.	11,299	2,637	13,936	567,635	217,239	39,747	824,621
June Qr.	11,442	3,192	14,634	499,944	221,166	39,636	760,746
Sept. Qr.	10,486	2,857	13,343	622,572	246,216	40,024	908,812
Dec. Qr.	9,630	2,598	12,228	533,165	225,920	31,499	790,584
1959: Mar. Qr.	12,717	3,338	16,055	637,139	223,781	36,090	897,010
June Qr.	10,772	3,417	14,189	636,366	231,617	34,984	902,967
Sept. Qr.	8,657	2,764	11,421	600,388	260,766	37,806	898,960

## (b). Number Receiving Benefits at end of each Month

Last Saturday of Month	Unemployment			Sickness	Special‡	All Benefits		
	Males	Females	Persons	Persons	Persons	Males	Females	Persons
1958: May	7,753	2,749	10,502	3,380	787	10,536	4,133	14,669
June	8,706	2,997	11,703	3,343	769	11,429	4,386	15,815
July	8,949	3,149	12,098	3,247	718	11,559	4,504	16,063
August	8,294	3,056	11,350	3,683	745	11,222	4,556	15,778
September	7,718	2,908	10,626	3,580	708	10,551	4,363	14,914
October	7,549	2,753	10,302	3,742	681	10,476	4,249	14,725
November	6,940	2,919	9,859	3,729	697	9,874	4,411	14,285
December	8,849	3,032	11,881	3,390	689	11,497	4,463	15,960
1959: January	9,579	3,268	12,847	3,343	679	12,186	4,683	16,869
February	8,819	3,251	12,070	3,368	750	11,493	4,695	16,188
March	8,691	3,290	11,981	3,266	694	11,280	4,661	15,941
April	8,884	3,385	12,269	3,523	749	11,648	4,893	16,541
May	8,608	3,550	12,158	3,631	762	11,471	5,080	16,551
June	8,563	3,529	12,092	3,581	735	11,366	5,042	16,408
July	8,833	3,736	12,569	3,831	727	11,857	5,270	17,127
August	7,638	3,289	10,927	3,837	691	10,644	4,811	15,455
September	6,323	2,939	9,262	3,944	742	9,401	4,547	13,948
October	5,193	2,669	7,862	3,757	723	8,150	4,192	12,342
November	4,411	2,564	6,975	3,724	653	7,308	4,044	11,352

\* Includes Australian Capital Territory.

† Includes payments to immigrants during training for employment.

‡ Excludes immigrants.

## No. 88. Commonwealth War and Service Pensions in New South Wales\*

Year ended 30th June	War Pensions					Service Pensions				
	Pensions Current at 30th June				Amount Paid During Year	Pensions Current at 30th June				Amount Paid During Year
	Incapac- itated Members of Forces	Depen- dants of Incapac- itated and Deceased Members of Forces	All War Pensions			Members of Forces	Depen- dants	All Service Pensions		
			No.	Average Rate per Week				No.	Average Rate per Week	
				s. d.	£ thous.				s. d.	£ thous.
1939	25,924	55,392	81,316	12 4	2,674	2,333	1,539	3,872	13 3	118
1954	67,366	126,657	194,023	25 2	12,225	5,631	1,846	7,477	52 4	978
1955	67,975	130,184	198,159	26 6	14,100	6,051	1,982	8,033	54 5	1,051
1956	68,403	133,308	201,711	28 2	14,501	8,177	3,961	12,138	52 8	1,473
1957	69,080	136,244	205,324	28 4	15,298	9,162	4,415	13,577	52 2	1,727
1958	69,609	139,602	209,211	30 4	16,824	9,999	4,511	14,510	55 11	1,900
1959:—										
'14 War	17,208	23,812	41,020	63 9	6,689‡	10,558	4,434	14,992	55 5	2,234
†'39 War	53,106	118,983	172,089	23 0	10,124‡					
Total	70,314	142,795	213,109	30 10	16,813					

\* Includes Australian Capital Territory.

† Including services in Korea, Malaya, and Far Eastern Strategic Reserve.

‡ Estimated.

## No. 89. Average Nominal Weekly and Hourly Wage Rates, New South Wales

The amounts shown should not be regarded as actual current averages, but as an index of changes expressed in money and hour terms.

End of Month	Average Nominal Weekly Wage Rate				Average Nominal Hourly Wage Rate	
	Amount—shillings		Index Number*		Index Number†	
	Adult Males	Adult Females	Adult Males	Adult Females	Adult Males	Adult Females
1939: Sept.	95.8	52.7	107	107	109	109
1945: Sept.	121.1	72.3	135	147	135	147
1947: June	132.7	82.3	148	167	149	170
1948: June	149.1	92.4	166	188	181	209
1953: June	289.8	196.7	323	400	343	445
1954: June	296.7	198.5	331	404	346	449
1955: June	302.6	201.0	337	409	355	455
1956: June	316.9	211.4	354	430	373	479
1957: Mar.	329.7	215.4	365	434	385	488
June	332.2	219.4	370	447	388	497
Sept.	333.5	220.1	372	448	390	498
Dec.	333.5	220.1	372	448	390	498
1958: Mar.	332.9	219.7	371	447	389	497
June	337.9	223.7	377	455	395	507
Sept.	338.0	223.7	377	455	395	507
Dec.	337.7	223.2	377	454	395	505
1959: Mar.	339.0	231.5	378	471	397	524
June	345.4	238.0	385	484	404	539
Sept.p	346.1	238.4	386	485	405	538

\* Base: Weighted average for Australia, 3 years ended June, 1939 = 100.

† Forty-hour week was introduced under State Awards from 1st July, 1947, and under Commonwealth Awards from 1st January, 1948.

## No. 90. Basic Wages (per week) for Adult Males and Females, Sydney

State and Commonwealth Awards					Month of Change	State Awards		Commonwealth Awards	
Month of Change	Males	Month of Change	Males	Females*		Males	Females*	Males	Females
1947: Feb. May Nov.	s. 108 110 112	1950: Dec.	s. 165	s. d. 123 6	1955: Nov. 1956: Feb. May June Aug. Nov.	s. 253 255 256	s. d. 189 6 191 0 192 0	s.	s. d.
1948: Feb. May Aug. Nov.	114 116 120 122	1951: Feb. May Aug. Nov.	173 180 193 207	129 6 135 0 144 6 155 0	1957: Feb. May Aug. Nov.	263 268 270 274	197 0 201 0 202 6 205 6	253	189 6
1949: Feb. May Aug. Nov.	124 127 130 132	1952: Feb. May Aug. Nov.	216 223 235 237	162 0 167 0 176 0 177 6	1958: Feb. May Nov.	269 274 273	201 6 205 6 204 6	268	201 0
1950: Feb. May Aug. Nov.	135 138 142 146	1953: Feb. May Aug.†	238 241 243	178 6 180 6 182 0	1959: Feb. May June Aug. Nov.	275 276 277 279	206 0 207 0 207 6 209 0	283	212 0
					1960: Feb.	283	212 0		

\* For State Awards, the amounts shown to February, 1959 represent the basic wage together with so much of any margin and any further amount necessary to make the minimum wage payable equivalent to 75 per cent. of the basic wage for males. Following the increase in the basic wage to the 75 per cent. equivalent, the amount shown from February, 1959 is the basic wage exclusive of any margin. This change was applied in State Awards from different dates, beginning in March, 1959.

† Quarterly adjustments for movements in retail prices were suspended in September, 1953, in both Commonwealth and State Awards. They were restored in State Awards in November, 1955.

## No. 91. Retail Price Index Numbers ("C" Series), Sydney

Base of each Group: Weighted average of six Capital Cities, 1923-27 = 1,000

Quarter	Food and Groceries*	Rent, 4 and 5- Roomed Houses	Clothing	Miscellaneous Items	Total "C" Series Index*†
1939: June	930	1,033	841	939	932
1945: June	1,040	1,043	1,410	1,163	1,141
1946: June	1,042	1,043	1,510	1,171	1,165
1947: June	1,096	1,044	1,540	1,187	1,194
1948: June	1,235	1,046	1,748	1,267	1,305
1949: June	1,384	1,048	1,980	1,347	1,425
1950: June	1,518	1,049	2,307	1,446	1,564
1951: June	1,943	1,051	2,819	1,689	1,875
1952: June	2,727	1,089	3,098	1,997	2,284
1953: June	2,669	1,274	3,305	2,044	2,360
1954: September December	2,701 2,741	1,326 1,330	3,250 3,266	2,047 2,048	2,372 2,391
1955: March June	2,804 2,835	1,331 1,332	3,250 3,267	2,014 2,031	2,405 2,423
September December	A 2,907 B 2,936	B 2,864 1,348	3,276 3,279	2,040 2,064	A 2,455 B 2,471
1956: March June September December	2,986 3,128 3,351 3,173	2,906 2,979 3,060 3,048	1,355 1,359 1,360 1,364	3,267 3,279 3,295 3,328	2,074 2,135 2,267 2,348
1957: March June September December	3,075 3,059 3,047 2,997	3,070 3,039 3,063 3,043	1,385 1,401 1,419 1,432	3,359 3,384 3,393 3,411	2,369 2,424 2,439 2,447
1958: March June September December	3,125 3,087 3,044 3,081	3,161 3,129 3,088 3,105	1,450 1,465 1,491 1,506	3,416 3,445 3,447 3,454	2,450 2,452 2,464 2,466
1959: March June September December	3,099 3,103 3,147 3,196	3,101 3,120 3,167 3,225	1,521 1,532 1,543 1,557	3,446 3,469 3,481 3,527	2,464 2,461 2,466 2,472

\* The index numbers in Column A include the price movements of potatoes and onions, while those in Column B exclude such movements from September Quarter, 1955.

† Comprising foregoing groups.

## No. 92. Wholesale Price (Basic Materials and Foodstuffs) Index Numbers

The 80 commodities included in this index are priced in their primary or basic form wherever possible, and as nearly as may be at the point where they first make effective impact on the Australian price structure. The prices used have, in the main, been obtained directly from manufacturers and merchants, and, with a few important exceptions, from Melbourne sources. Apart from locally produced building materials and one or two minor commodities, however, the price movements may be taken as representative of variations in wholesale prices of basic materials in most Australian markets. The weighting system adopted is based on estimates of the average annual consumption of the commodities in Australia during the years 1928-29 to 1934-35 inclusive.

Base of each Group : Average 3 years ended June, 1939 = 100

Period	Basic Materials							Food-stuffs and To-bacco *	Basic Materials and Foodstuffs		
	Metals and Coal	Oils, Fats and Waxes	Textiles	Chemicals	Rubber and Hides	Building Materials	Total		Goods Principally Imported †	Goods Principally Home-produced *	Total *
Year: 1936-37	96	99	118	99	111	99	99	98	99	98	99
1937-38	101	101	100	100	97	104	102	102	102	101	101
1938-39	103	100	82	101	92	97	99	101	99	100	100
1948-49	185	173	342	159	130	198	188	174	201	172	180
1949-50	214	184	434	187	143	225	214	196	223	196	204
1950-51	256	196	641	242	292	268	264	229	256	240	244
1951-52	343	220	577	314	298	370	321	276	288	300	297
1952-53	392	234	607	350	224	404	350	293	292	331	319
1953-54	388	222	566	323	191	363	332	308	271	339	319
1954-55	391	214	510	314	246	372	330	315	277	340	322
1955-56	404	220	456	317	328	415	345	325	292	352	334
1956-57	409	241	520	344	302	463	367	324	311	357	344
1957-58	398	238	437	349	280	453	355	325	301	355	339
1958-59	392	231	362	327	293	423	340	332	283	358	336
1956: Dec.	412	241	528	344	307	467	369	321	315	355	343
1957: Jan.	412	240	533	344	307	467	369	321	316	354	343
Feb.	409	244	544	344	298	467	370	324	318	356	345
Mar.	407	244	532	344	296	467	368	324	315	356	344
Apr.	407	244	547	344	289	467	369	324	313	358	344
May	403	244	548	344	289	467	367	317	311	352	340
June	402	240	527	345	288	467	365	328	307	360	345
July	399	240	524	353	283	467	364	333	305	365	347
Aug.	401	240	495	353	283	467	363	339	306	368	350
Sept.	401	240	490	353	285	457	361	334	303	365	346
Oct.	398	240	454	353	295	457	358	322	304	353	338
Nov.	398	240	444	346	297	457	357	314	308	345	334
Dec.	399	236	419	346	293	457	355	319	304	348	335
1958: Jan.	400	236	424	347	278	458	355	318	302	349	335
Feb.	397	236	434	347	273	458	355	320	301	350	336
Mar.	398	236	404	347	278	458	353	323	301	351	337
Apr.	395	236	389	346	277	458	351	321	301	349	335
May	393	236	384	346	263	420	343	330	290	355	336
June	394	236	387	346	254	420	343	332	290	357	337
July	394	231	387	327	249	420	339	332	285	357	336
Aug.	394	231	358	327	244	420	338	338	285	360	338
Sept.	394	231	358	327	244	432	340	337	283	361	338
Oct.	394	231	341	327	243	432	339	330	282	356	334
Nov.	394	232	344	327	254	425	338	326	282	352	332
Dec.	390	231	337	327	267	420	336	322	282	348	328
1959: Jan.	391	231	333	327	263	422	336	320	280	347	327
Feb.	392	231	346	327	284	422	338	328	281	354	332
Mar.	390	232	353	327	326	422	340	341	282	365	340
Apr.	390	232	398	327	410	422	346	340	282	368	343
May	387	232	402	327	371	422	344	336	284	363	340
June	388	232	392	327	361	422	343	338	284	364	340
July	385	231	392	330	394	422	343	340	282	366	342
Aug.	388	230	417	330	411	422	346	343	281	371	345
Sept.	388	223	405	330	414	425	345	339	276	369	342
Oct.	388	223	404p	328	375	425	343p	339p	277	367p	341p
Nov.	390p	223	399p	328	360	425	342p	335p	279	363p	338p

\* Reconstructed as from the base period by excluding potatoes and onions.

† Represents only such imported commodities as are included in the Wholesale Price Index. This index does not measure changes in import prices generally.

### No. 93. Export Price Index Numbers, Australia

These index numbers are compiled from the prices of 20 commodities which normally constitute about 80 per cent. of all Australian exports. In general, the index numbers show price changes in the predominant market or markets, but average prices realised for exports are used for some commodities. The prices of commodities are weighted by the average annual exports (production in the case of gold) during the three years 1933-34 to 1935-36.

Base of each Group : Average of 3 years ended June, 1939 = 100

Period	Wool	Wheat	Butter	Metals*	Meats†	All Groups‡		
						Excluding Gold	Excluding Wool	Including Wool and Gold
§ { (a) (b) (c)	45.63 ... 49.05	17.06 31.38 18.34	11.36 20.89 12.21	6.83 12.55 7.34	6.63 12.20 7.13	...	...	100.00
100.00 ... ...	100.00 ... ...							
Year: 1936-37	122	123	92	120	98	116	108	115
1937-38	99	111	107	96	106	102	105	102
1938-39	79	66	101	84	96	82	87	83
1948-49	365	413	233	478	171	348	305	332
1949-50	473	400	250	421	196	399	308	383
1950-51	999	432	271	689	209	690	365	654
1951-52	564	435	291	811	263	495	397	473
1952-53	616	445	313	504	314	505	371	483
1953-54	615	411	325	450	338	496	356	474
1954-55	538	357	313	511	344	450	342	431
1955-56	464	324	320	562	355	414	342	397
1956-57	578	327	250	545	368	464	331	444
1957-58	471	357	218	398	333	400	313	385
1958-59	362	350	230	386	394	351p	320p	339p
1956: November	581	328	252	569	357	465	331	445
December	588	329	242	566	360	467	329	447
1957: January	596	332	227	570	385	472	330	451
February	611	335	222	557	388	479	330	458
March	596	327	218	555	372	471	329	451
April	618	321	224	548	382	483	331	462
May	626	319	256	495	398	488	333	467
June	596	322	284	451	373	473	332	452
July	596¶	331	278	445	351	470	327	450
August	551	342	274	448	345	450	331	431
September	543	344	274	441	333	445	328	426
October	498	350	257	423	337	420	323	403
November	483	352	232	409	337	407	315	391
December	445	359	225	372	290	383	305	369
1958: January	453	363	207	369	315	387	306	373
February	468	368	194	375	294	393	303	378
March	422	371	188	375	308	372	304	358
April	400	365	163	370	353	358	301	346
May	392	367	162	369	364	356	303	344
June	400	369	166	377	368	361	306	348
July	400¶	366	178	371	351	361	304	348
August	354	369	190	369	370	342	310	330
September	354	363	190	372	393	343	312	332
October	336	363	195	391	405	337	318	326
November	339	355	222	404	407	342	323	330
December	328	353	242	389	404	337	324	326
1959: January	321	347	250	390	408	334	325	323
February	339	336	250	384	387	339	318	328
March	347	336	249	385	382	343	319	331
April	415	337	249	382	393	377p	321p	364p
May	415	339	262	396	402	381p	327p	367p
June	400	336	287	401	429	378p	334p	364p
July	407¶	332	312	402	439	384p	338p	370p
August	445	340	336	418	411	406p	344p	390p
September	430	331	350	420	376	396p	339p	380p
October	430	330	359	431	n.y.a.	398p	343p	382p
November	422p	333p	367	437	n.y.a.	395p	344p	380p

\* Non-ferrous—Silver, Copper, Tin, Zinc, Lead.

† Beef, Lamb, Mutton, Pork. Guaranteed minimum prices used when operative.

‡ Includes, in addition to groups shown, Sugar, Dried Fruits, Tallow, and Hides.

§ Percentage distribution of base aggregate (a) for "All Groups" (including Wool and Gold), (b) for "All Groups" excluding Wool, and (c) for "All Groups" excluding Gold.

¶ Nominal.

## No. 94. Municipalities and Shires: Valuations and Rates Levied for Ordinary Services\*

Year	Metropolis			Rest of N.S.W.			Total N.S.W.
	City of Sydney	Rest of Metropolis	Total, Metropolis	City of Newcastle	City of Greater Wollongong	Rest of N.S.W.	
£ thousand							
Unimproved Capital Value of Rateable Property							
1954	106,085	292,138	398,223	16,610	13,821	307,542	736,196
1955	107,567	335,537	443,104	21,972	15,993	344,172	825,241
1956r	120,721	398,429	519,150	24,856	24,832	379,292	948,130
1957r	154,507	460,377	614,884	28,046	26,630	416,982	1,086,542
1958p	157,974	537,024	694,998	38,614	27,072	440,105	1,200,789
1959p	161,507	641,256	802,763	39,194	42,988	468,393	1,353,338
Rates Levied for Ordinary Services*							
1954	3,087	8,202	11,289	699	403	9,416	21,807
1955	3,143	9,116	12,259	798	540	10,297	23,894
1956	3,606	10,260	13,866	863	672	11,432	26,833
1957	4,295	12,081	16,376	971	760	13,051	31,158
1958p	4,443	13,187	17,630	1,044	723	13,854	33,251
1959p	4,542	14,323	18,865	1,061	857	14,246	35,029

\* The main functions grouped under " Ordinary Services " are listed in the first column of Table 96. Rates levied for the trading funds are excluded.

## No. 95. Municipalities, Shires, and County Councils, New South Wales: Total Revenue

Year	Revenue—Ordinary Services*				Total Revenue—Trading Funds			Total Revenue—All Funds
	Rates and Extra Charges	Other Charges and Sales	Government Grants	Total	Electricity† and Gas	Water Supply and Sewerage	Abattoirs and Other	
£ thousand								
1939	5,661	1,657	3,360	10,678	5,787	1,018	154	17,637
1951	14,349	5,159	4,661	24,169	23,759	1,707	1,337	50,972
1952	18,517	6,310	5,924	30,751	31,284	2,379	1,991	66,405
1953	20,295	7,186	5,623	33,104	36,384	2,606	2,377	74,471
1954	21,930	7,810	6,608	36,348	41,668	2,823	2,482	83,321
1955	24,028	8,842	8,265	41,135	45,457	3,211	2,637	92,440
1956	27,004	9,567	8,999	45,570	49,144	3,809	2,439	100,962
1957	31,364	10,795	10,281	52,440	54,421	4,008	3,097	113,966

\* See note \* to Table 94. † Includes Sydney County Council—revenue in 1957 amounted to £24,250,000.

## No. 96. Municipalities and Shires: Expenditure from Revenue\* on Ordinary Services

Particulars	1956		1957			Total, N.S.W.	
	Total, N.S.W.	Metrop- olis	Cities of Newcastle and Greater Wollon- gong	Other Municipal- ties and Shires	Municipal- ties		
£ thousand							
Works and Services—							
Administration .. .. ..	3,191	1,591	157	1,701	2,060	1,389	3,449
Works—							
Roads, Streets, Bridges, etc. ..	22,990	7,516	951	16,325	9,806	14,986	24,792
Contribution to Main Roads Dept. .. .. ..	903	1,004	4	34	898	144	1,042
Street Lighting .. .. ..	1,046	734	84	324	896	246	1,142
Sanitary and Garbage .. .. ..	4,026	2,525	296	1,440	2,924	1,337	4,261
Parks and Recreation .. .. ..	2,835	1,920	211	993	2,577	547	3,124
Baby Health Centres .. .. ..	105	62	4	20	72	14	86
Health Services .. .. ..	815	556	61	319	680	256	936
Noxious Animals and Weeds† .. .. ..	148	17	...	127	34	110	144
Public Markets .. .. ..	374	276	...	80	333	23	356
Libraries .. .. ..	630	371	109	263	618	125	743
Fire Prevention .. .. ..	466	258	23	258	283	256	539
Cattle Straying .. .. ..	72	18	5	54	39	38	77
Donations to Hospitals, etc. .. .. ..	112	124	13	38	139	36	175
Council Property .. .. ..	1,668	1,324	174	340	1,713	125	1,838
Town Planning† .. .. ..	400	345	29	41	350	65	415
Other .. .. ..	1,837	1,059	146	915	1,417	703	2,120
Total Works and Services .. .. ..	41,618	19,700	2,267	23,272	24,839	20,400	45,239
Debt Charges—							
Interest on Loans, etc. .. .. ..	1,489	1,027	82	612	1,230	491	1,721
Principal Repayments (including Sinking Fund Contributions) .. .. ..	3,090	1,470	162	1,687	1,885	1,434	3,319
Total Expenditure .. .. ..	46,197	22,197	2,511	25,571	27,954	22,325	50,279

\* Excludes expenditure on " Ordinary Services " from loans (£5,571,000 in 1956 and £5,483,000 in 1957).

† Includes contributions to County Councils.

No. 97. Municipalities and Shires, N.S.W.: Valuations and Rates Levied for Ordinary Services  
(Preliminary)

Municipality or Shire	Un- improved Capital Value of Rateable Property, 1959*	Rates Levied for Ordinary Services†		Municipality or Shire	Un- improved Capital Value of Rateable Property, 1959*	Rates Levied for Ordinary Services†	
		1958	1959			1958	1959
Metropolis—		£ thous.	£	£ thous.	£	£	£
City of Sydney	161,507	4,443,021	4,542,427	Rest of N.S.W. (continued)—			
Rest of Metropolis— Municipalities—				Municipalities—			
Ashfield ..	12,757	241,219	239,208	Grenfell ..	167	12,972	13,389
Auburn ..	23,256	395,920	460,313	Gunnedah ..	996	52,307	53,158
Bankstown ..	28,424	680,636	826,835	Hay ..	182	19,887	20,108
Botany ..	16,451	233,722	257,060	Inverell ..	666	56,251	54,393
Burwood ..	12,313	178,874	179,563	Junee ..	133	19,556	19,501
Canterbury ..	21,352	805,266	845,189	Kempsey ..	1,100	36,905	40,182
Concord ..	8,187	184,930	187,636	Kiama ..	2,303	53,972	56,693
Drummoyne ..	9,901	298,260	299,219	Lismore (City) ..	4,738	148,847	155,449
Fairfield ..	12,153	405,310	455,725	Lithgow (City) ..	931	88,500	89,713
Holroyd ..	14,349	262,220	340,491	Maitland (City)† ..	4,484	145,585	179,955
Hunters Hill ..	4,904	84,856	89,416	Manilla ..	122	8,939	9,290
Hurstville ..	24,550	339,623	409,170	Moree ..	512	43,483	43,260
Kogarah ..	16,088	300,435	301,651	Mudgee ..	720	33,043	33,016
Ku-ring-gai ..	39,156	644,767	672,836	Mullumbimby ..	240	12,447	12,471
Lane Cove ..	11,677	191,079	194,625	Murrumburrah ..	266	10,555	15,374
Leichhardt ..	11,330	375,577	377,684	Muswellbrook ..	496	31,757	33,772
Liverpool ..	9,170	161,369	221,626	Narrabri ..	317	33,452	44,024
Manly ..	10,921	352,030	362,990	Narrandera ..	433	34,200	34,034
Marrickville ..	14,676	517,457	519,772	Narromine ..	164	12,994	13,161
Mosman ..	7,566	245,066	248,417	Newcastle (City)† ..	39,194	1,043,792	1,061,105
North Sydney ..	21,917	456,858	490,852	Nyngan ..	233	17,771	16,195
Parramatta (City) ..	36,839	732,362	742,229	Orange (City) ..	5,653	180,319	196,564
Randwick ..	28,345	578,521	575,783	Parke ..	1,486	61,053	62,477
Rockdale ..	22,808	479,103	487,054	Peak Hill ..	127	7,808	10,531
Ryde ..	21,349	391,251	467,019	Penrith ..	7,768	164,095	170,414
Strathfield ..	12,997	216,076	216,623	Port Macquarie ..	985	44,166	54,683
Waverley ..	17,102	390,210	391,253	Queanbeyan ..	1,398	57,041	65,492
Willoughby ..	19,937	474,064	477,770	Quirindi ..	285	15,539	17,842
Woolahra ..	40,695	447,947	466,292	Shellharbour ..	2,217	72,309	90,410
Total, Municipalities‡ ..	531,170	11,065,008	11,804,301	Singleton ..	626	25,999	26,228
Shires—				Tamworth (City) ..	3,892	111,937	133,518
Baulkham Hills ..	7,641	163,622	172,589	Taree ..	1,492	52,206	61,430
Blacktown ..	17,292	322,036	421,300	Temora ..	612	26,393	33,729
Hornsby ..	17,059	333,982	384,669	Tenterfield ..	209	13,714	14,403
Sutherland ..	30,690	683,882	799,222	Wagga Wagga (City) ..	5,201	182,967	183,653
Warringah ..	37,404	618,550	740,350	Wilcannia† ..	...	3,442	...
Total, Shires‡ ..	110,086	2,122,072	2,518,130	Windsor ..	2,239	56,263	58,389
Total, Rest of Metropolis ..	641,256	13,187,080	14,322,431	Wingham ..	284	16,235	16,157
Total, Metropolis ..	802,763	17,630,101	18,864,850	Wollongong, Greater (City) ..	42,988	722,565	856,524
Rest of N.S.W.— Municipalities—				Yass ..	596	25,631	23,479
Albury (City) ..	7,385	167,905	171,871	Young ..	676	34,847	34,847
Armidale (City) ..	1,305	61,777	63,190	Total, Municipalities	187,979	5,790,149	6,211,890
Ballina ..	436	25,187	29,092	Shires—			
Bathurst (City) ..	2,656	94,448	99,217	Abercrombie ..	1,815	35,580	36,260
Bega ..	357	20,411	20,411	Ashford ..	1,646	56,280	52,608
Blue Mountains (City) ..	6,622	319,000	354,738	Balranald* ..	2,235	53,461	53,379
Bombala ..	162	7,774	8,656	Barraba ..	1,524	46,765	42,772
Bowral ..	1,415	45,887	49,077	Bellingen ..	1,242	54,384	55,083
Broken Hill (City) ..	7,155	282,039	298,351	Berrigan ..	3,973	83,840	83,445
Camden ..	2,194	51,978	55,030	Bibbenluke ..	1,973	62,330	64,710
Campbelltown ..	3,644	68,133	80,114	Bingara ..	786	36,987	35,322
Casino ..	1,404	49,574	49,588	Bland ..	3,491	116,153	116,127
Cessnock, Greater† ..	2,568	229,550	244,675	Blaxland ..	1,166	46,733	46,761
Condobolin ..	283	29,073	28,782	Bogon ..	3,039	54,753	50,654
Cooma ..	566	41,476	44,753	Boolooroo ..	5,701	101,396	101,281
Cootamundra ..	513	38,724	41,681	Boomi ..	5,716	90,280	90,227
Cowra ..	816	42,301	42,899	Boorowa ..	1,188	57,779	62,843
Deniliquin ..	851	39,784	39,830	Boree ..	2,105	83,416	92,148
Dubbo ..	3,202	88,571	88,543	Brewarrina ..	3,925	68,050	60,164
Dungog§ ..	...	9,848	...	Burrangong ..	3,326	92,342	79,533
Forbes ..	789	37,788	38,519	Byron ..	2,094	70,860	70,855
Glen Innes ..	438	29,805	30,461	Canobolas ..	1,056	44,298	57,213
Goulburn (City) ..	3,601	116,596	116,482	Carrathool† ..	5,883	105,869	130,194
Grafton (City) ..	2,486	100,776	106,917	Central Darling† ..	3,178	...	26,554

No. 97. Municipalities and Shires, N.S.W.: Valuations and Rates Levied for Ordinary Services (continued)

(Preliminary)

Municipality or Shire	Un-improved Capital Value of Rateable Property, 1959*	Rates Levied for Ordinary Services†		Municipality or Shire	Un-improved Capital Value of Rateable Property, 1959*	Rates Levied for Ordinary Services†	
		1958	1959			1958	1959
£ thous.	£	£	£	£ thous.	£	£	£
<b>Rest of N.S.W. (continued)—Shires—</b>				<b>Rest of N.S.W. (continued)—Shires—</b>			
Corowa ..	3,652	63,811	62,597	Oberon ..	1,354	50,081	51,098
Crookwell ..	5,631	156,432	136,854	Patrick Plains¶ ..	3,737	79,354	79,507
Cudgegong ..	3,874	81,867	82,575	Peel ..	3,255	76,860	65,625
Culcairn ..	3,004	55,972	56,054	Port Stephens ..	2,474	80,511	81,917
Darling ..	4,527	71,045	66,059	Rylstone ..	1,373	76,987	64,170
Demondrille ..	2,652	55,179	55,273	Scone ..	2,890	107,192	104,671
Dumaresq ..	1,458	54,669	48,610	Severn ..	1,470	49,923	48,984
Dungog ¶§ ..	3,229	..	88,074	Shoalhaven ..	6,082	247,682	258,913
Eurobodalla ..	1,750	64,572	61,794	Snowy River ..	2,116	106,061	101,395
Gulgandra ..	3,132	85,197	88,971	Stroud ..	2,265	83,483	112,789
Gloucester ..	1,475	53,694	60,085	Talbragar ..	1,682	35,017	35,135
Goobang ..	1,940	84,352	85,071	Tallaganda ..	1,833	47,157	52,984
Goodradigbee ..	3,824	77,448	75,019	Tamarang ..	2,977	73,946	68,543
Gosford ..	8,118	270,608	276,708	Tenterfield ..	1,647	43,594	41,566
Gundagai ..	2,508	70,380	70,380	Terania ..	2,321	62,090	62,090
Gundurimba ..	1,835	49,091	43,974	Timbrebongie ..	3,540	57,377	53,970
Gunning ..	2,054	48,534	45,382	Tintenbar ..	1,543	39,562	39,430
Guya ..	1,161	94,829	94,477	Tomki ..	1,346	35,195	35,218
Hastings ..	1,512	101,412	102,398	Tumbarumba ..	1,646	73,960	71,354
Holbrook ..	2,063	45,170	44,789	Tumut ..	1,066	91,966	90,729
Hume ..	5,477	72,479	73,466	Turon ..	1,964	44,965	41,821
Illabo ..	2,384	43,061	43,670	Tweed ..	5,961	173,552	206,562
Imlay ..	841	38,254	39,332	Ulmarra ..	1,173	32,908	32,712
Jemalong ..	3,757	106,910	117,877	Uralla ..	1,444	60,142	55,684
Jerilderie ..	3,675	69,470	70,735	Urana ..	2,782	65,216	65,238
Jindalee ..	1,297	41,862	45,933	Wade ..	3,660	116,091	122,576
Kyeamba ..	4,256	53,910	53,487	Wakool ..	2,925	96,591	96,805
Kyogle ..	3,504	130,078	130,858	Walcha ..	2,335	58,143	66,115
Lachlan ..	3,452	88,570	88,884	Walgett ..	10,455	182,549	182,430
Lake Macquarie ..	12,617	469,312	455,669	Wallarobba¶ ..	..	74,351	..
Leeton ..	2,374	66,354	77,325	Waradgery** ..	1,948	28,411	28,413
Liverpool Plains ..	5,023	114,419	115,738	Warren ..	4,476	103,207	102,006
Lockhart ..	3,688	83,225	83,222	Waugoola ..	5,522	78,600	78,563
Lower Hunter¶ ..	..	53,554	..	Weddin ..	3,043	42,530	51,353
Lyndhurst ..	3,916	71,068	69,699	Wellington ..	3,324	119,592	132,132
Macintyre ..	2,171	64,456	66,842	Wentworth¶¶ ..	1,971	54,886	56,285
Maclean ..	1,288	54,273	55,217	Windouran ..	1,861	23,893	24,255
Macleay ..	1,825	95,129	95,818	Wingecarribee ..	2,258	73,571	80,036
Mandowra ..	1,652	33,682	32,710	Wollondilly ..	2,430	55,722	67,344
Manning ..	1,928	90,788	90,902	Woodburn ..	947	39,676	39,341
Merriwa ..	2,435	82,940	79,473	Wyong ..	5,150	207,021	214,658
Mitchell ..	3,076	49,785	48,328	Yallaroi ..	3,159	72,780	68,378
Mittagong ..	1,203	44,867	45,414	Yanko ..	2,578	59,665	65,901
Molong ..	1,653	66,551	66,529	Yarrowlumla ..	1,688	65,060	66,264
Monaro ..	1,485	69,978	65,486	Total, Shires ..	362,596	9,831,120	9,952,278
Mulwaree ..	5,644	93,266	93,429	Total, Rest of N.S.W. ..	550,575	15,621,269	16,164,168
Mumbulla ..	984	31,501	32,997	<b>Summary—</b>			
Murray ..	2,943	54,459	57,594	<b>Municipalities</b>	880,656	21,298,178	22,558,618
Murrumbidgee ..	1,548	22,663	22,847	<b>Shires</b>	472,682	11,953,192	12,470,408
Murrurundi ..	2,081	53,014	52,208	<b>Total, N.S.W. ..</b>	1,353,338	33,251,370	35,029,026
Muswellbrook ..	2,135	50,292	49,610				
Nambucca ..	1,034	68,162	65,404				
Namoi ..	6,319	113,028	113,415				
Narraburra ..	1,660	53,902	60,936				
Nundle ..	1,049	28,608	26,730				
Nymboida ..	1,117	27,758	27,923				

\* U.C.V. of rateable property used for rating purposes in 1959—preliminary.

† See note \* to Table 94.

‡ See note "Metropolis" below.

¶ From 1st August, 1958, Lower Hunter Shire was abolished and divided between Maitland and Newcastle Municipalities and Dungog and Patrick Plains Shires, and parts of Greater Cessnock Municipality were transferred to Maitland Municipality and Patrick Plains Shire.

§ From 1st July, 1958, Dungog Municipality and Wallarobba Shire were amalgamated to form Dungog Shire.

¶¶ From 1st May, 1959, Wilcannia Municipality and part of the Unincorporated Area were amalgamated to form Central Darling Shire.

\*\* From 1st May, 1959, part of Balranald Shire and part of the Unincorporated Area were added to Waradgery Shire.

†† From 1st May, 1958, part of the Unincorporated Area was added to Carrathool Shire.

‡‡ From 1st May, 1958, part of the Unincorporated Area was added to Cobar Municipality to form Cobar Shire.

¶¶¶ From 1st June, 1959, part of the Unincorporated Area was added to Wentworth Shire.

**Metropolis**

On 1st January, 1954, the boundaries of the Statistical Metropolis, as defined since 1933, were extended to embrace the Municipalities of Fairfield and Holroyd and the Shires of Sutherland and Warringah, together with portions of the Municipality of Liverpool and of the Shires of Baulkham Hills, Blacktown, and Hornsby. In Tables 94 and 97, the group "Metropolis" differs from the Statistical Metropolis because it includes particulars for the whole of the Municipality of Liverpool and the whole of the Shires of Baulkham Hills, Blacktown, and Hornsby.

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Particulars		Calendar or Financial Year						
		1928	1933	1938	1943	1948	1953	1958
<b>Population (Mean)</b>								
Males .. .. .. ..	Thous.	1,255	1,319	1,374	1,431	1,510	1,704	1,852
Females .. .. .. ..	Thous.	1,205	1,283	1,349	1,427	1,510	1,683	1,841
Persons .. .. .. ..	Thous.	2,460	2,602	2,723	2,858	3,020	3,387	3,693
<b>Vital Statistics</b>								
Births (Live) .. .. .. ..	No.	54,800	44,195	47,319	57,265	67,234	74,890	80,045
Deaths .. .. .. ..	No.	22,694	22,322	26,105	28,870	30,403	31,707	32,350
Marriages .. .. .. ..	No.	20,076	18,399	24,579	26,302	30,164	27,573	28,554
Birth Rate per 1,000 Mean Population .. ..		22.27	16.99	17.38	20.04	22.26	22.11	21.67
Death Rate per 1,000 Mean Population .. ..		9.22	8.58	9.59	10.10	10.07	9.36	8.76
Marriage Rate per 1,000 Mean Population .. ..		8.16	7.07	9.03	9.20	9.99	8.14	7.73
Divorces Made Absolute .. ..	No.	913	1,008	1,424	1,828	3,277	3,725	3,217
<b>Employment</b>								
Persons in Employment (other than defence, working proprietors, rural workers and female domestics in private households) —								
Males .. .. .. ..	Thous.	n.a.	380	530	524	719	772	820
Females .. .. .. ..	Thous.	n.a.	126	168	251	269	284	320
Persons .. .. .. ..	Thous.	n.a.	506	698	775	988	1,056	1,140
<b>Production</b>								
Net Value of Production —								
Rural Industries .. ..	£ thous.	68,079	55,826	50,161	88,608	170,836	329,766	257,944*
Other Primary Industries .. ..	£ thous.	13,963	8,934	13,377	20,184	38,821	75,204	86,018*
Total Primary Industries .. ..	£ thous.	82,042	64,760	63,538	108,792	209,657	404,970	343,962*
Manufacturing Industries .. ..	£ thous.	73,627	54,042	90,266	162,726	251,199	520,043	757,862*
All Recorded Industries .. ..	£ thous.	155,669	118,802	153,804	271,518	460,856	925,013	1,101,824*
<b>Agriculture</b> —								
Total Area under Crop .. ..	Thous. acres	5,443	6,284	7,049	4,797	5,711	5,425	6,506
Gross Value of All Crops to Producers £ thous.		19,356	14,302	18,459	32,750	53,887	76,325	85,676
Wheat (grain): Area .. ..	Thous. acres	4,090	4,584	4,651	2,693	4,038	3,357	3,178
Yield .. ..	Thous. Bus.	49,257	57,057	59,898	47,500	64,704	63,681	66,441
Av. per Acre .. ..	Bus.	12.0	12.4	12.9	17.6	16.0	19.0	20.9
Pastoral, Dairying, etc. —								
Sheep (at 31st March) .. ..	Thous.	50,185	52,104	48,877	56,837	50,404	59,639	67,936
Cattle (at 31st March) .. ..	Thous.	2,785	3,362	2,812	3,143	3,253	3,554	3,663
Horses (at 31st March) .. ..	Thous.	567	532	531	466	358	280	214
Pigs (at 31st March) .. ..	Thous.	312	367	377	561	375	372	349
Wool (as in the grease) .. ..	Thous. lb.	482,920	484,390	437,141	537,410	463,208	544,934	684,184
Value at Place of Production £ thous.		30,879	29,951	17,076	31,703	82,348	171,901	126,625p
Butter .. .. ..	Thous. lb.	96,244	148,868	118,821	92,357	78,792	70,233	87,646
Cheese .. .. ..	Thous. lb.	6,339	9,073	7,486	5,525	5,581	7,191	11,298
Bacon and Ham† .. ..	Thous. lb.	23,087	21,092	26,419	31,164	29,796	26,600	25,896p
<b>Minerals Won</b> —								
Quantity of Coal .. ..	Thous. tons	9,448	7,118	9,571	11,473	11,721	14,174	15,851
Value —								
Coal .. .. ..	£ thous.	8,264	4,107	5,653	9,789	14,938	41,030	39,979
Lead and Zinc Concentrates .. ..	£ thous.	3,610	2,062	3,513	4,505	19,257	22,480	18,596
Other Minerals .. ..	£ thous.	2,490	1,474	2,934	4,619	3,977	8,253	13,061
Total, All Minerals .. ..	£ thous.	14,364	7,643	12,100	18,913	38,172	71,763	71,636
<b>Factories</b>								
Establishments .. .. ..	No.	8,465	7,818	9,464	10,755	16,087	20,199	22,684
Persons Employed (Average) —								
Males .. .. ..	No.	135,773	111,599	167,172	226,824	282,312	305,040	340,737
Females .. .. ..	No.	44,983	42,400	61,609	96,208	96,068	97,555	108,821
Salaries and Wages Paid .. ..	£ thous.	38,545	25,749	44,606	93,518	146,536	293,586	412,914
Value of Plant, Buildings, etc. .. ..	£ thous.	85,638	95,395	120,047	152,782	201,053	429,746	860,360
Net Value of Production —								
Industry —								
Industrial Metals, Machines £ thous.		23,072	15,296	31,691	78,525	101,617	213,011	359,422
Clothing .. .. ..	£ thous.	6,371	4,030	6,227	10,047	21,732	37,846	45,743
Textiles .. .. ..	£ thous.	2,426	2,584	3,553	8,102	12,832	27,276	31,056
Food, Drink, and, Tobacco £ thous.		13,552	11,192	16,106	21,440	32,722	61,929	82,297
All Factories .. .. ..	£ thous.	73,627	54,042	90,266	162,726	251,199	520,043	803,315
<b>Building</b>								
Value of Building Approved —								
Private Building .. .. ..	£ thous.	21,885‡	4,370‡	20,372‡	1,869‡	49,443	90,224	143,728
Government Building .. .. ..	£ thous.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	4,683	11,343	21,361	33,407
Dwellings in Houses and Flats —								
Approved .. .. ..	No.	n.a.	n.a.	17,403‡	800‡	30,983	30,076	33,529
Commenced .. .. ..	No.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	21,485	24,973	27,657
Completed .. .. ..	No.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	n.a.	18,041	27,153	28,903

\* 1957-58.

† See notes † and ‡ to Table 25.

‡ Excluding country shires.

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Particulars	Calendar or Financial Year						
	1928-29	1933-34	1938-39	1943-44	1948-49	1953-54	1958-59
<b>Oversea Trade</b>							
Imports of Merchandise .. .. £ thous.	57,585	28,036	49,907	112,588	177,211	277,927	350,598
Exports of Merchandise .. .. £ thous.	49,083	39,362	37,687	54,079	176,609	249,314	217,953
Imports, Principal Items—							
Metals (inc. Manufactures) .. £ thous.	10,007	3,482	7,621	41,324	27,254	41,051	49,531
Machinery (inc. Electrical) .. £ thous.	6,558	2,335	7,672	11,475	23,335	48,587	77,146
Yarns, Textiles, Apparel .. £ thous.	13,490	6,900	8,490	17,723	47,119	49,187	40,758
Petroleum Oils .. .. £ thous.	3,606	1,796	3,122	7,839	13,806	26,220	34,744
Exports (Australian Produce)—							
Wool (as in the grease) .. £ Thous. lb.	382,200	376,600	379,200	196,000	487,600	432,500	493,250
Wool (as in the grease) .. £ thous.	27,378	24,255	17,221	14,659	78,554	150,809	102,273
Wheat and Flour .. £ Thous. bus.	27,730	20,314	29,103	10,925	49,505	20,275	8,544
Butter .. £ Thous. lb.	15,456	59,238	23,966	9,875	9,967	2,031	5,666
Meats .. £ thous.	1,160	2,133	1,420	654	1,349	410	1,478
Metals (incl. Manufactures) .. £ thous.	1,236	1,900	1,715	5,411	5,416	10,802	17,524
Machinery (incl. Electrical) .. £ thous.	1,820	1,847	4,401	3,766	11,117	16,197	27,797
	160	241	460	308	3,575	4,613	5,684
<b>Prices</b>							
Export Prices, Australia .. Index No. †	117	90	83	117	332	474	339p
Wholesale Prices, Australia (Basic Materials and Foodstuffs) .. Index No. †	110	90	100	140	180	319	336
Retail Prices, Sydney ("C" Series Index)‡	1,055	836	928	1,146	1,378	2,384	{ 2,675 2,683
<b>Transport and Communication</b>							
<b>Oversea Shipping</b> —							
Vessels Entered .. .. Thous. net tons	4,413	3,960	5,037	2,127	4,307	5,610	6,912*
Vessels Cleared .. .. Thous. net tons	4,128	4,439	4,930	2,323	4,200	4,784	6,280*
<b>Interstate Shipping</b> —							
Vessels Entered .. .. Thous. net tons	4,104	4,665	6,205	2,535	3,636	4,470	5,119*
Vessels Cleared .. .. Thous. net tons	4,404	4,297	6,302	2,708	3,623	5,306	5,628*
<b>State Railways</b> —							
Revenue .. .. £ thous.	20,416	15,690	19,946	35,301	40,463	76,369	77,731
Expenditure (inc. Interest, etc.) .. £ thous.	21,128	18,278	21,118	34,547	42,379	76,215	84,180
Passengers Carried .. .. Thous.	151,116	142,520	186,720	250,566	263,116	278,904	254,055
Goods Carried .. .. Thous. tons	13,787	10,643	14,679	18,603	16,903	19,351	18,979
<b>State Tramways and Omnibuses</b> —							
Revenue .. .. £ thous.	4,458	3,465	4,374	5,700	8,741	11,575	13,260
Expenditure (inc. Interest, etc.) .. £ thous.	4,467	3,211	4,353	5,692	9,051	14,652	15,131
Surplus or Deficiency .. .. £ thous.	(—) 9	(+) 254	(+) 21	(+) 8	(—) 310	(—) 13,077	(—) 1,871
Passengers Carried .. .. Thous.	333,476	301,660	377,180	540,124	496,413	415,708	292,857
<b>Regular Air Services</b> —							
Passengers Carried .. .. Thous.	27	26	59	72	823	1,084	1,488
<b>Motor Vehicles</b> —							
Cars on Register, June .. .. No.	162,298	155,063	213,331	178,550	236,399	398,397	589,692
Lorries, etc., on Register, June .. .. No.	41,689	48,601	76,726	78,023	140,338	210,142	286,616
New Cars Registered during Year .. .. No.	30,344	5,724	20,493	188	25,652	43,577	58,302
New Lorries Registered during Year .. .. No.	7,497	2,400	7,712	3,805	11,674	21,257	34,103
Road Accidents Reported .. .. No.	13,222	7,220	11,906	6,955	14,150	29,514	47,856
Persons Killed .. .. No.	355	339	552	372	564	728	833
Persons Injured .. .. No.	8,393	5,097	8,388	4,719	9,253	14,660	19,854
Telephone Instruments Connected, June .. .. No.	193,718	188,694	257,246	308,016	397,919	563,270	795,713
Broadcast Listeners' Licences, June .. .. No.	100,798	226,831	433,029	560,032	706,452	769,478	827,453
Television Viewers' Licences, June .. .. No.	...	...	...	...	...	...	300,871
<b>Public and Private Finances</b>							
State Revenue† .. .. £ thous.	46,241	41,769	51,098	71,942	97,862	188,692	239,769
State Expenditure from Revenue† .. £ thous.	48,160	44,977	53,558	70,758	97,698	188,564	239,727
State Expenditure from Loan Funds .. £ thous.	16,093	7,798	8,788	3,029	22,960	60,021	60,052
State Public Debt: Total .. .. £ thous.	267,798	324,739	359,878	351,971	396,494	614,495	832,367
Per head .. £	107	124	131	122	128	179	222
Major Private Trading { Deposits £ thous.	112,913	99,198	114,175	189,030	288,283	470,483	495,514
Banks§ { Advances £ thous.	95,834	90,950	119,266	88,309	146,483	265,386	328,416
Savings Banks: Deposits .. .. £ thous.	85,728	75,714	87,474	162,867	244,483	339,797	488,273
Per head .. .. £	35	29	32	56	79	99	130
Real Estate Conveyances and Transfers .. .. £ thous.	58,537	25,499	50,295	32,447	86,201	92,380	103,806
Real Estate Conveyances and Transfers .. .. £ thous.	56,826	17,989	35,272	17,607	62,229	188,032	281,431
	1928	1933	1938	1943	1948	1953	1957
<b>Life Assurance</b> —							
New Policies Issued .. .. £ thous.	19,972	15,322	24,852	21,906	59,032	100,091	149,809
Policies in Force .. .. £ thous.	122,555	127,420	184,182	238,883	383,681	647,346	958,234
	1928-29	1933-34	1938-39	1943-44	1948-49	1953-54	1958-59
<b>Social Services and Education</b>							
Expenditure by State (Excluding Loan)—							
Public Health .. .. £ thous.	1,965	1,698	2,268	3,628	7,711	16,101	21,545
Education .. .. £ thous.	4,638	3,677	5,365	6,292	11,207	27,270	45,055
Age and Invalid Pensioners, June .. .. No.	80,120	105,957	130,620	131,930	169,021	201,815	246,750
Age and Invalid Pensioners, Expenditure £ thous.	3,868	4,355	6,415	8,867	17,489	34,042	53,816
Public Hospitals, In-Patients .. .. No.	148,461	169,243	237,326	280,372	338,234	398,863	450,030*
	1928	1933	1938	1943	1948	1953	1958
Public and Private Schools: Pupils .. .. No.	424,263	451,991	439,908	438,339	462,921	594,294	735,230
Universities, Students .. .. No.	2,382	3,062	3,550	3,405	10,660	11,673	17,319

\* 1957-58.

† Base: 1936-37 to 1938-39 = 100.

‡ Base: Weighted Average of Six Capital Cities, 1923 to 1927 = 1,000. See Table 91.

§ Figures are comparable with those given in Table 74.

¶ Average of weekly figures.